

This Advertisement

Will tell you what to buy, where to Buy and give you the lowest prices that can possibly be given for first-class, reliable merchandise and those contemplating the purchase of wearing apparel will do well to see us before buying.

Read Carefully and Study well the Prices Quoted Below and you will Admit we have a Grand Collection of Bargains.

Men's and Boy's Suits

Black Cheviot Suits, \$3.00

Black, Gray or Brown Mixed Cassimere Suits, Single or Double Breasted, \$4.95

Blue or Black All Wool Corkscrew Suits, Sizes 34 to 42, \$4.95

Fine Blue Diagonal All Wool Cheviots, Black or Blue Clays, Cassimeres, &c., \$8.00

Imported Clays, Scotch Overlaid and fine staple Styles in many colored fabrics, \$10.00

All the New Novelties in Plaids, Fancy Mixtures, Neat Designs, &c., Finely Tailored and the Best Fitting Clothing in the World at \$12.00 to \$15.00

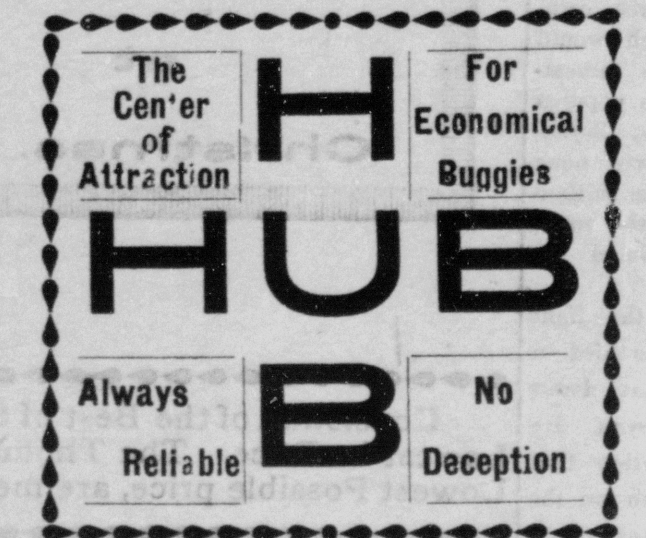
Men's Fine Chinchilla Coats and Vests in Oxford, Blue and Black, \$5.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00



Men's Heavy All Wool Pants 98c

Men's All Wool Cassimere Pants..... 1.40

Men's Fine Dutchess Trousers..... 3.00



Men's Heavy Cheviot Shirts.....24c

Men's Heavy Jersey Shirts.....35c

Men's Black Jersey Shirts.....39c

Men's Heavy Woolen Shirts.....49c

Men's All Wool Shirts.....74c

Men's Fine Black Jersey Shirts.....1.00

Men's Fine Cloth Shirts.....1.50

Men's Fancy Bosom Shirts.....50c to 1.00

Overcoats

Men's high grade overcoats in Kerseys, Boucle cloth, melton, etc., as handsome garments as can be made. \$12.00 to \$18.00

Fine all wool Kersey overcoats in Blue, Black and fancy shades. \$6.00 to \$10.00

Blue, Black and Brown Beaver overcoats. \$4.95

Heavy storm overcoats.....1.49 \$3.00 to \$4.00

Gray Melton overcoats. Youth's Overcoats, Age 15 to 19

Latest styles in Black Oxford and fancy mixed, cut long with the large storm collars. \$3.00 to \$7.00

Boys' Ulster Overcoats age 5 to 14. Large and Handsome line in Blue, Oxford, Steel and Light colors for 1.75 to 5.00

Nobby cape Overcoats age 4 to 8. 1.50 to 9.00



Heavy Merino Underwear 24c.

Boy's Heavy Ribbed 18c.

Boy's Heavy Shirts 24c.

Good Suspenders 10c to 25c.



Fine Buckboard Free until Christmas with every child's suit or overcoat.

All the new colors in the Flat, Brown, Stiff Hats just received, 1.50 to 3.00

HATS

Everyone will be welcome whether you buy or not. Your money back if the goods don't suit.

The Hub. The Hub. The Hub. The Hub. The Hub. The Hub.

CITY COUNCIL.

Business of the City Attended to in a Business Like Manner.

The city council met in regular session last night with Mayor Balsley in the chair and all members present but Schwing who came in later.

Minutes of previous meeting read by Clerk McKinney and approved.

Finance committee reported through chairman Miller that the treasurer's report for the month of October had been examined and found correct.

Goodale reported that the fire committee had received no definite answer from the liverymen in the matter of keeping the horses in their barns and asked for further time. Granted.

Goodale, of the improvement committee, reported that the city wells recently put down by the Travis Carter Co. had been measured. The one near Milbourn's drugstore is 48 ft. 4 in. deep, the one near the postoffice on St. Louis avenue is 50 ft. 5 in. deep and the one at the corner of Chestnut and Tipton streets 50 ft.

The treasurer's report for the month of November was submitted and showed a balance of \$9,849.55 on hand.

City engineer reported that he had employed H. L. Geiser to plant some trees about the Shields High School building and the Third ward building and that the whole had been satisfactorily done. Forty-two trees were planted at an expense of \$12.60.

Claims to the amount of \$58.41 were allowed.

The city commissioners reported favorably to the opening of the alley in block one Pungst addition. The matter was referred back to the commissioners and city attorney with instructions.

Burkley said that the telephone company had cut limbs out of trees in many parts of the city and left the same in the street. Marshal instructed to notify the company to remove all these at once.

On motion of Bergdoll, Anton Massman was instructed to extend his tile drain on Bruce street to west side of Poplar street emptying into the sewer. Bergdoll also called attention to condi-

tion of floor in city jail. The matter was referred to improvement committee with power to act.

DeGolyer asked for improvement of two street crossings on Broadway street. Street commissioner instructed to make repairs.

Price asks that Dr. Kyte be granted privilege to extend cellar drain across Walnut street. Privilege granted with the understanding that the dirt be replaced properly.

Price also asks for the repair of some street crossings. Granted.

Schwing said that the grade committee would like to have privilege to put down such a crossing for trial.

Thompson asked for repairs of ceiling in city building. Referred to improvement committee with power to act.

Shields moved that city treasurer be instructed to bring coupons of city bonds redeemed to council chamber at next meeting that they might be destroyed. Carried.

Council adjourned at 8:40.

AFFLICTED.

J. H. Nolting is no better.

Miss Edith Sage is able to be up most of the time.

C. J. Leidorf is not feeling so well. He has contracted cold.

John Deppert is suffering with a stiff neck, the result of cold.

Dr. G. Green went this morning to look after the diphtheria in that vicinity.

George F. Steinkamp's mashed hand is doing well and he went yesterday to the county to start his sawmill again.

Charles H. Cordes, has so far recovered from a long and serious sickness as to spend most of his time at the store.

Mrs. Louisa Dannellett, of the Ridge, who has been very sick for some time with infirmity is growing better slowly.

Miss Lora, daughter of Newton Trowbridge, of Grassy Fork township, who was protracted in October with typhoid fever, is some better.

The school at Medora was closed yesterday on account of diphtheria and Miss Cora Robertson, teacher, returned to her home west of Cortland this morning.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Fireman 'Will Wagner went Thursday to Louisville to visit friends.

D. M. Rapple, of the K. C. Line, was a business visitor here last evening.

Firemen Alva Murphy, after a visit to his father, Joab Murphy, and family, returned last evening to North Vernon to take his place on the switch engine there.

Dangerously Injured.

John A. Ross and Mrs. J. E. McKinney left this morning for Connorsville in response to a telegram stating that their mother, Mrs. Sarah Ross, was dangerously hurt last night by a fall. She is sixty-eight years old and was there on a visit to her son.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The remedy cured me, and I want all my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do me good." Sold by C. W. Milthous.

Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES GENTS
Doran Miss Mary Daunettelle Harold
Lay Miss Mattie Goring Michael
Stevens Miss Ethel Guyim Geo J
Helston Geo
Huffman J M
Monden S N
Moore Dili
McDonald James
Tiler Del
GEO. E. PRICE, P. M.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all female complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, constipation, headache, fainting spells, or are nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at W. F. Peter, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co.'s rug store.

HOTEL ON FIRE.

Blaze at the Denison House Comes Near Causing a Panic.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—This morning at 3 o'clock fire broke out in the baggage room of the Denison House. The flames had gained such headway in the rear of the baggage room that it was some minutes before the firemen made an impression on it. The rear of Manager Oullen's office soon began blazing, the fire having crept under the floor, and a stream was turned in there. It was 20 minutes before the firemen had extinguished the flames. By this time the guests began to pour out into the hallways.

There was great danger of a panic on account of the smoke, but several gentlemen went through the upper portion of the hotel and calmed the guests as much as possible by assuring them that there was no danger. Secretary of State Owen's wife, who is an invalid, was brought to the first floor, she bearing up bravely under the excitement.

Mrs. Charles E. Wright and a number of other ladies suffered considerably from fright. There was great danger at one time of the guests jumping from the windows in their excitement, but the coolness of Night Clerk Carey finally reassured all that there was no danger and quiet resumed. The cause of the fire is unknown, and it was impossible for the hotel people to give an estimate of the loss this morning.

LEXINGTON SALE.

Turkmen Bid Good Prices For Kentucky Thoroughbreds.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 4.—The greatest sale of thoroughbreds in the history of Kentucky took place here yesterday. The Eaton company sold the horses of the Elmendorf and Beaumont studs which brought to Lexington prominent turkmen from every section. Candelmas, imported son of Hermit and Fuze, was the first offering and was knocked down to John Mackay, representing J. B. Haggin, the California millionaire turkman, for \$15,000. Imported Order, sire of Ornament and son of Ben D'or and S. Barnes, who forced Haggin's representative to bid \$30,000 to secure the premier of Beaumont. Victorine, dam of Ornament, also went to Haggin at \$10,000, who also took Imp Chevalier at \$4,000.

OFFICERS TO BE ARRESTED.

Marshalltown (Ia.) Soldiers' Home Officers Charged With Violating Laws. DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 4.—Federal officers of the southern district of Iowa will next week arrest the officers and

trustees of the Iowa Soldiers' home at Marshalltown, for committing misdemeanor against the federal government by interfering with the pensions of soldiers who are inmates of the home. They will be taken at once before Judge Woolworth for trial.

The officers who will be arrested are: J. R. Ratekin, commandant; S. B. Evans of Ottawa, R. J. Jefferson of Jefferson, A. T. Barchard of Marshalltown, C. L. Davidson of Hall, L. B. Raymond of Hampton and J. W. Morton of Washington, trustees of the institution.

Adjutant General's Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—The annual report of Adjutant General Robbins has been filed with the governor. He recommends that \$720 be appropriated annually for an armorer and \$500 for additional office expenses. He also recommends that the adjutant general hereafter receive \$1,000 and the quartermaster-general \$1,200 at least. The total number of officers in the Indiana National Guard is 197; enlisted men, 2,694; total, 2,891.

Charged With Forging a Name.

FORT WAYNE, Dec. 4.—John G. Lehr, former city and county delinquent tax collector, was arrested yesterday on the charge of forgery. The complaint alleges that he forged the name of Ambrose Ashton as security on a note for \$400. The note is due and Ashton is dead. The heirs claim the signature is not genuine. Lehr was sent to jail in default of bond. He drew a revolver and fired at his temple, but was unsuccessful in his attempt to kill himself.

Cold Weather In Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 4.—Unusually cold weather for Florida has prevailed here for three days, the thermometer reaching 36 degrees. Heavy winds on the coast endanger shipping. The steamship Iroquois of the Clyde line came up the river yesterday after laying off the bar at the mouth of the river for 54 hours, the sea being too rough for a pilot to board the steamer.

Jewelry Firm Robbed.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—The Columbian jewelry company, a wholesale firm doing business in the Western Union building, was robbed of watches, scarf pins, sleeve buttons and other jewelry, amounting in value to about \$500, yesterday. The robbery was a mysterious one, and the police are now searching for a clew which may lead to the arrest of the thieves.

Mrs. Lease's Home.

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 4.—Notice of foreclosure of a mortgage on the Lease homestead has been issued. The amount involved is \$1,400 and costs. Mrs. Lease is in New York. The home is a pretty one, apparently worth more than the amount involved. The notice of sheriff's sale appeared this week among the legal notices.

A GRAND DISPLAY

Christmas Goods!

Albums, Books, Booklets, Bibles, Family and Teachers', Building Blocks' A B C Blocks, Dolls in endless variety from 1c to \$5.00, Doll Buggies, Boy's Wagons and Velocipedes, Hobby Horses, Shoefly Rockers, Gold Pens, Ladies Toilet Set, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes.

Toys! Toys! Toys!

(A MOST COMPLETE LINE.)

AND THOUSANDS OF OTHER ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

F. O. COX. No. 20, West Second St.

Great Reduction

We must close out our

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks Cheap

In order to make room for our large stock of Toys for Christmas. Note prices below:

1 lot all wool jackets.....50c.
1 lot all wool jackets.....\$1.25.
1 lot all wool cloaks.....\$2.50.
1 lot cloaks worth \$5.50 for.....\$4.00.
1 lot cloaks worth \$10.00 for.....\$6.00.
1 lot cloaks worth \$6.50 for.....\$4.75.
1 lot capes worth \$4.00 for.....\$2.75.
1 lot capes worth \$7.50 for.....\$5.75.
1 lot capes worth \$9.00 for.....\$7.00.
1 lot capes worth \$13.00 for.....\$9.00.

Come early and secure these bargains.

Sold only for SPOT CASH.

CHAS. R. HOFFMANN.

22 S. CHESTNUT ST.

MILLER & WILNEM,

Insurance, Real Estate, Rental and Loan Agts.

Desirable Property for Sale or Rent. Call on us for bargains. Business promptly attended to

Seymour, Ind.

Office in Opera House Block.

The highest vote ever cast in Nevada was in 1876 when the state cast 19,691 votes. The total vote of the state this year was 8,507. Yet Nevada has two senators, Jones and Stewart, who have obstructed legislation in the interest of the people.

The Central American States are making an effort to unite. It is a commendable movement and will do more to advance the interests of these states than all the revolutions and civil wars which have characterized these states for so many years.

GEN. GOMEZ has been treating the residents of Havana to genuine war scare while Weyler has failed in the field against Maceo. If this news can be relied on, the insurgents' cause certainly looks brighter again. No people would be more rejoiced to see the Cubans victorious than those of this country where we have learned to appreciate our freedom.

It is a good time to circulate sound money literature. Men are more open to conviction than they were during the heat of the campaign. They will now consider an argument on its merits which would have been branded before as a campaign lie. Even if the free silver question should never become a prominent issue again it is well enough to put the issue beyond the hope of a revival.

The falling off of both the total vote and pluralities for the popocrat candidates this year in nearly all of the southern states is especially noteworthy. Another free silver campaign would probably throw most of these life long democrat states into the republican and sound money column. The leading papers in that section all agree that free silver would not stand any show in another campaign on the same lines, and they agree that free silver as a political issue is dead.

Read our advertising columns to-day for bargains. It will always pay you to read the advertisements in the REPUBLICAN.

The Arena, the magazine to which John Clark Ridpath was recently called as editor has gone into the hands of a receiver. So it seems that our recent scholar in politics is to be disappointed again.

When the democrats first came into power their chief cause of anxiety was the surplus which had been piled up under republican administrations. The republicans will not be troubled with anything of that sort when they again take charge next March. There is nothing on hand now but deficits and these do not crowd the treasury vaults.

Hoke Smith's paper the Atlantic Journal makes the following noteworthy statement.

A great big and very significant fact is that Mr. Bryan received 300,000 less votes in the south than did Mr. Cleveland in 1892 on a platform which distinctly declared against the free coinage except on conditions which would guarantee parity. It must be remembered that the bulk of the populist vote in the south went to Mr. Bryan, whereas Mr. Cleveland received none of it. There were probably a million more democrats in the south who voted for Cleveland in 1892 than voted for Bryan in 1896.

The paper intimates that the light vote in the south, not over one third in Georgia, is due to the fact that democrats would not vote for Bryan. He concludes with the declaration that "public opinion in the south on the silver question is by no means represented by the vote at the recent election."

Prosperous Railroad.
NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The directors of the Hocking Valley railroad at a meeting held yesterday declared the semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent on the preferred stock.

Weather.
Indiana and Illinois—Generally fair, except in extreme northern portions; local snows; warmer.
Ohio—Warmer and fair, probably followed on the lakes by light local snows.

TELEGRAPH BRIEVITIES.
Georgia house of representatives have passed a bill making women eligible to the office of state librarian.

Owing to the extraordinary prices charged for coal in South Dakota, flouring mills are burning bran for fuel.

E. H. Sothern, the actor, and Virginia Harned, his former leading lady, were privately married in Philadelphia yesterday.

Suit over a hog, the original value of which was only \$10, has been dragging in the Missouri courts until the costs amount to \$1,000.

Under the direction of the fish commissioner the government is stocking the rivers of eastern states with Pacific coast salmon.

National Council of Women, in session at Boston, yesterday listened to the reading of reports of officers and took a recess for the day.

ANDY SCHAEFFER AND JACOB SCHUCK OF Martinsville, Ind., Recommend Wright Celery Capsules.

MARTINSVILLE, IND., May 28, 1896. To the Wright Medical Co., Columbus, Ohio.

GENTS—I have purchased a box of Wright's Celery Capsules from W. B. Tarleton, druggist, and used them for indigestion, stomach trouble and constipation. I have been greatly benefited, in fact almost cured with one box. It is the best medicine without exception that I have used for my troubles. Yours very truly,

ANDY SCHAEFFER. MARTINSVILLE, IND., May 18, 1896. To the Wright Medical Co., Columbus, Ohio.

GENTS—I have purchased a box of Wright's Celery Capsules from W. B. Tarleton, druggist, and used them for indigestion and constipation. I was greatly benefited by using them and would not be without them. Very truly yours,

JACOB SCHUCK. Sold by A. J. Pellens, druggist.

CASTORIA. It is in every wrapper.

We need nearly 3,000 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for breathing purposes, but we can do with as little as 2,500. Children need less and there are now building schools to give the children, 1,800 cubic feet per hour.

Old papers for putting under carpet shelves, etc. at this office 20 cents per hundred.

If you want up to date goods at hard time prices go to S. V. Harding's.

Mr. C. M. Dixon, a well known merchant of Pleasant Ridge, Fulton county Pa., has a little girl who is frequently threatened with croup, but when the first symptoms appear, his wife gives her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which always affords prompt relief. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhouse, Druggist.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PILLS FOR SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

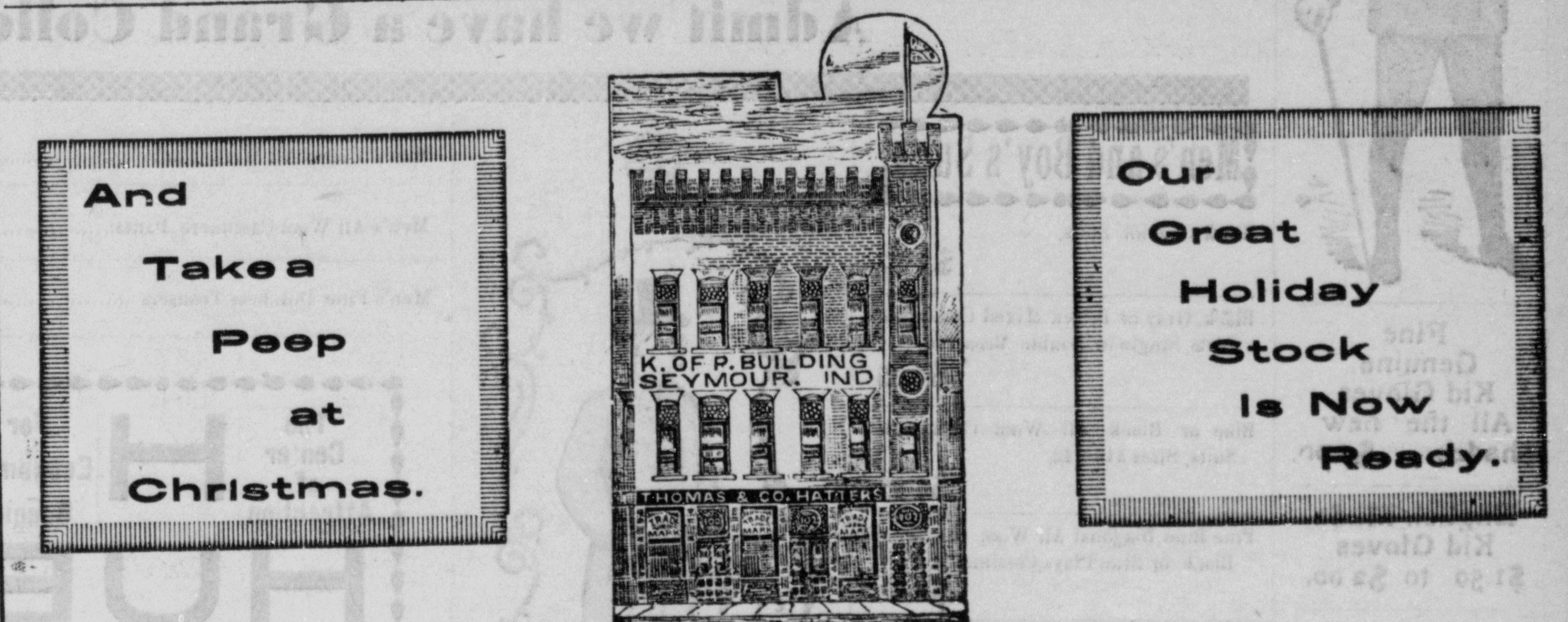
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HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Thomas Clothing Co.

If you desire to make a present to a friend of something of intrinsic worth and merit and for which they will ever hold you in grateful remembrance it will pay you to call at this

Reliable Clothing House



Consisting of the Best of Suits, and Overcoats ever sold in Seymour. Not only the most stylish but the Lowest in Price. The Thomas Clothing Co.'s persistent efforts to sell the best of everything at the Lowest Possible price, are meeting their just reward.

Men's Overcoats. You must have one. Then get a good one. We have them Blue, Black and Fancy Shades. Elegantly Lined, Royally Trimmed. Especially adapted for a nice Holiday Gift. Price - \$7.50 to \$12.50	Children's Overcoats. Children's Deep Military Cape Overcoats, 3 to 8 years, and serviceable materials..... Price - \$1.25 to \$3.50 Boy's Long Cut Ulsters, with Storm Collars, 3 to 15 years..... \$2.00 to \$4.50
Men's Ulsters. Ulsters are always good, and every man should have a good one. We have them in all grades at prices running from..... \$2.00 to \$12.00	Boy's Knee Suits. The crowds of buyers that visit our Boy's Department, make us feel satisfied with our efforts to please the public in this line of suits. \$1.00 to \$3.50
Men's Suits. Men's Full Dress Suits, all correct in Fashion. Made by the best tailors and sold by The Thomas Clothing Co. Better see these suits before you make a purchase..... \$5.00 to \$15.00 We also take your measure and make suits to order if you desire.	Youth Long Pant Suits. Of every character and kind Price..... \$2.00 to \$6.50
Men's Mackintosh. A Gentleman's Mackintosh makes a present that would be appreciated. You will find a full line at our establishment..... Prices - \$2.75 to \$6.50	Men's and Boy's Night Robes. Men and Boy's Fancy Night Robes. Made of Outing Cloth and Wamouta Muslin. In all sizes and full lengths. \$1.00
Umbrellas and Canes. 26 and 28 inch Silk Umbrellas, Steel Rods, Dresden, Natural, Ebony, Silver and Gold Handles.	Men's Gloves. Have them in all of the Newest Shades of Tan, Brown, Oxblood Red, consisting of Kids and Mochos. Nothing nicer for a present. Special Holiday Price..... \$1.00
Hats and Caps. A new line of Hats and Caps of the Latest Blocks and Shapes. Bought expressly for the Holiday trade.	Men's Silk and Satin Suspenders. A Complete Line of Men's Silk and Satin Suspenders, Plain and Silk Embroideries. Makes a Beautiful as well as Useful Present for a gentleman..... 25c to \$1.00
Men's Neckwear. Of every Pattern and Designs in Silk and Satins. Comprising all of the latest Novelties for the Holiday trade.	Silk Handkerchiefs. Gentlemen Silk Handkerchiefs. Plain and with Initials..... 25c to \$1.00

We design to do some remarkable selling within the next 30 days. Our prices will be found so captivating that the desire to buy will be irresistible.

The Thomas Clothing House, Seymour, Ind.

Wiremill Doing Double Turn.
BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Dec. 4.—The wiremill of the Consolidated Steel and Wire company at this place has started on double turn and the mill of the same company, that has been idle since last July, will start up on double turn next Monday morning. These two establishments employ about 500 hands.

Short in His Accounts.
ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Upton Lovejoy, Jr., cashier of the state reformatory here, disappeared two weeks ago. An examination of his accounts has revealed a shortage of \$1,300. His friends fear that Lovejoy has committed suicide.

\$100 Reward \$100.
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are best.

Alleged Forger Arrested.
GREENSBURG, Ind., Dec. 4.—John E. Jones, selling small Catholic household furniture, was arrested here yesterday for forging the name of John Dahn of Columbus to an \$8 check. Mrs. Montgomery, with whom he boarded, refused to cash the check and followed him to the bank, giving the cashier a hint which caused his capture.

Dry House Burned.
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 4.—Fire yesterday destroyed the large dry house connected with the Showers Brothers' furniture factory in which was 50,000 feet of lumber. The loss on stock is \$9,000, with \$1,500 on building; two-thirds insured. The fire started from the heaters.

Raised the Price on Bread.
ANDERSON, Ind., Dec. 4.—The Anderson bakers have entered into an agreement to increase the price of bread to 5 cents a loaf, because of the increased price of wheat, a demand being made for 16-ounce loaves by customers.

Condensed Testimony.
Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop., St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by LaGrippe by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E. 25th St. Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of croup, because it instantly relieves. Free trial bottles at W. F. Peter's, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co.'s, Drug Store.

Thinks There Will Be an Extra Session.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Representative Babcock of Wisconsin arrived yesterday direct from Canton. He expressed the opinion that there would be an extra session of congress next spring and that there would be no effort at the approaching session to pass the Dingley bill.

LEW WALLACE.
No Cards the Press on the Senatorial Contest.
INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—General Lew Wallace has given the following signed communication to the press, occasioned by the talk of the general as a successor to Senator Voorhees:
"The frequent recurrence of my name in connection with the United States senatorship, shortly to occupy the attention of the legislature, will excuse me for saying that I am not a seeker of any office in appointment or election. It is, in my opinion, essential that the senatorship should go to him without solicitation on his part. Treating the remark as a condition, my acceptance of a nomination would be governed by it."

A ten year old son of Louis Ernest, of Don't be persuaded into buying liniments without reputation or merit—Chamberlain's Pain Balm costs no more and its merits have been proven by a test of many years. Such letters as the following, from L. G. Bagley, Hueneme, Cal., are constantly being received: "The best remedy for pain I have ever used is Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and I say so after having used it in my family for several years." It cures rheumatism, lame back, sprains and swellings. For sale by C. W. Milhouse, Druggist.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it does not cure. 25c.
Wright's Celery Tea cures constipation, sick headaches, 25c at druggists.

DR. R. GOLDSTEIN,

The Famous Specialist of Chicago, Ill.,

Guarantees to Cure Every Case Taken or Money Refunded

Free Consultation and Examination in His Private Parlor at the New Lynn Hotel.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, DEC. 10, 11 and 12.

He is recognized as the leading specialist in the state. The doctor is a regular graduate from the leading colleges in the United States. He has made a special study of the diseases of the eye, nose, throat and lungs, and kidneys, urinary and bladder troubles, Bright's disease, diabetes, dyspepsia and constipation, rheumatism and paralysis.

He positively cures chronic catarrh, ringing in the ears and deafness. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat and lungs, and kidneys, urinary and bladder troubles, Bright's disease, diabetes, dyspepsia and constipation, rheumatism and paralysis.

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DROWNED.

JAMES SHEEDY MEETS DEATH IN MUSCATATUCK.

His Body Found in a Drift Yesterday Near Staples Ford—Missing Since Monday.

Special to Seymour REPUBLICAN:

HAYDEN, IND., Dec. 4.—Yesterday morning a Mr. Hughes living at Staples ford, five and a half miles southwest of Hayden found a horse and buggy in the creek, the horse being dead. He went for help and got the horse and buggy out. Then taking a skiff they began looking about for signs of any occupants of the rig. About a hundred yards down stream the body of a man was found, whom neither one knew. Word was sent at once to Trustee Wohrer and Dr. C. C. Amick, of Hayden, who went to the place at once and identified the body as that of James Sheedy, of Hayden. He has been working for Timothy Lett, near Slate, and left that place Monday morning, since which time he has not been seen. Mr. Lett supposed that Sheedy was at his father's and his father supposed he was at Mr. Lett's, so no uneasiness was felt about him.

James Sheedy was an upright highly respected man, about 32 years of age. He was a widower and leaves two children. His death is a sad affair and is felt on all sides in Hayden where his home has been almost all his life, and where he had a host of friends. It is only about four months since his father, Patrick Sheedy buried a daughter. He had his overcoat and gloves on when found and his father says that he never could swim.

Staples ford is the worst in this part of the county and it is hoped the commissioners will now take steps toward putting in a bridge here. The ford is very dangerous even in low water for strangers.

COURT NOTES.

The suit of Mrs. Mathias Fox against her husband for divorce was continued in court yesterday.

The suit of Mayer against Blish occupied the attention of the court till a late hour last night. Witnesses in the case went down this morning. The suit will take up most of today.

DIED.

Mrs. Charles Hage, of Waskom, and an esteemed lady, died the other day with heart trouble, aged some thirty-five years.

The Modern Mother.

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

CRABBY'S CASH STORE.

Best Michigan beans, \$1.25 bu. Golden Gem coffee, 17c pkg. Pickles, 2 doz for 5c. Bon Ton soap, 2 bars 5c. Loose salt, 10 lb for 5c. Fine toilet soap, 3 bars in a box, 5c box. Cincinnati butchers' lard, 6c lb. Inquire our prices on flour by the bbl. Stick and mixed candies 5c lb. We will make special reduction on any kinds of candies for the holidays. No. 118 South Chestnut street.

1 lb XXXX coffee, 16c at Hoadley's.

Beautiful new style clocks at Harding's.

S. D. Sutton, his daughters, Misses Laura, Anna and Kate, of near Hayden, drove down to the city today to shop.

The Baptist Outlook publishes an article this week on "Calvinism and Religious Liberty," written by Rev. J. W. Cleverger of this city.

A. Strauss, of Columbus, has traded his stock of dry goods in that city for a farm in Illinois, to D. M. Coffman, of Rockford, Tennessee.

Mistaken identity has from time immemorial furnished a basis for amusing complications. In Mr. A. Q. Scammon's latest musical comedy, "The Real Widow Brown," a young man by a clever disguise for a time impersonates the real widow, thereby furnishes the incentive of the fun, and the events following are screamingly funny. Fetching costumes, graceful dancing and taking music enhance the attractiveness of the performance. At Opera House Monday, Dec. 7.

Great bargains in men's underwear at Mose the Boss'. d3 2t

CHURCH NOTES.

The Christian church was crowded last night and Elder Scofield preached an able sermon.

Rev. Hemminger, of Crothersville, is continuing the revival at the M. E. church at Oldtown. The meetings are growing in interest. There have been twenty-two accessions up to Thursday.

HEADACHE cured in 30 minutes by Dr. Miller's PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. H. Judson, of near Scipio, is the guest of friends.

Mrs. A. J. Ropple, of Louisville, came here last evening to visit relatives.

F. W. Nolt, of Dayton, O., and H. A. Ingram, of St. Louis, were in the city today.

M. H. Hoffman and Miss Josie Hoffman, of Louisville, are the guests of friends here.

Mrs. B. F. Pennock, of Carthage, Mo., came here this morning to visit relatives near Freetown.

William M. McCollum, of Aurora, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. L. Shields, and family, last night.

S. H. Wierman and wife, of Huntingburg, came here this morning to visit friends on White Creek.

Mrs. Clara Hall, of Union, Iowa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Louisa Dannellett and sons of the Ridge.

Mrs. L. Johns, of Olney, Ill., came here and went last night to Indianapolis to reside with her son, Roy Johns.

John Waggoner and daughter, Miss Ettie, of Jennings county, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Michael Farrell and family.

Mrs. J. W. Catterson, after a delightful visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Baxter, and family returned today to Shoals.

Mrs. D. W. Rolling and Miss Lida Rolling came here this morning from near Charlestown to visit friends and relatives.

William A. Reed, after a pleasant visit to his niece, Mrs. Henry Massman, and family, returned last evening to Indianapolis.

J. H. McLea, of Chicago, T. J. Gibbs, D. M. Ross, of Toledo, O., G. A. Ferguson and H. D. Young, of Columbus, were in the city last night.

G. W. Dannellett, editor and proprietor of the Evansville Economist, and who has visited his mother and brother, Halleck and families, has returned home.

Miss Lizzie Sheedy, of Indianapolis, came here this morning and went to Hayden on account of the drowning of her brother, James Sheedy.

George Geinger and wife, of Oregon, came here last evening to visit their son, Albert S. Geinger and family near Crothersville. They came here this morning to spend the day with relatives.

George W. Bard, F. J. Schuler, W. H. Thomas and Rev. D. M. Lett, of Crothersville, and many others from this part of the county went today to Brownstown to attend the farmers' congress.

Thach's Accomplishes.

Three men are now under arrest at Hamilton, Ohio, charged with being in the plot to wreck the B. & O. S. W. at Burton's Gap a few weeks ago. They were arrested as being the accomplices of Thach who is now in jail at Bedford. They claim that they are not guilty and can prove that they were some place else the night the wreck was attempted.

Great bargains in boys' and children's overcoats at Mose the Boss'. d3 2t

Ladies' and gents' silk umbrellas of fine quality at S. V. Harding's.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

C. W. Stein of the I. & V. was in the city today.

No. 1, on the B. & O. was over an hour late today.

Thomas Welch of the B. & O. was a business visitor in the city today.

The B. & O. S. W. has secured control of the bridge and terminals at Marietta, O., under lease.

J. B. Scott, Jr., traveling passenger agent of the B. & O. S. W. was in the city today from Vincennes on business.

Backen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum Fever sores, Tetters, Chapped hands, Chilblain, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by W. F. Peter.

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miller's PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

Beautiful goods and low prices attract many buyers and lookers to S. V. Harding's jewelry store.

CASTORIA.

The famous signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer is on every bottle.

Glady's daughter of Dr. H. Kite continues to improve.

Henry Walkoetter, west of Tampico, is very sick with neuralgia.

Mrs. Nathaniel Schrenk is dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Two daughters of W. H. Cunningham are very sick with the grip.

Michael Youtsey is much worse today and he is unconscious most of the time.

Mrs. Jesse Thompson, of Rockford, has been seriously indisposed with lung hemorrhage this week.

Fritz Klipple, continues to get better and he expects to take his position in the store Monday.

Engineer Alex Lee, of the B. & O. S. W., is laying off on account of a severely swollen face with neuralgia.

The twelve year old son of George A. Cooley, of Tampico, was badly hurt one day this week by being thrown from a mule.

JACKSON COUNTY DOCTORS.

Hold Their Regular Meeting at City Building Yesterday—An Interesting Session.

The Jackson County Medical Society held its regular session at the city building yesterday.

A fair representation of the profession of Jackson county was present.

Dr. T. S. Galbraith, of this city, read a very interesting paper on the treatment of nervous diseases. The subject is one which the doctor is eminently qualified to handle, having been at the head of a large institution out west for the treatment of the insane. The paper was discussed by members of the society, after which it was referred to the publishing committee.

The subject of diphtheria was then taken up and case reports with treatment were given by various members of the society. The discussion was animated and interesting.

Good feeling generally prevailed and at a late hour the meeting adjourned to meet at Brownstown the first Thursday in March, 1897.

N. N. SHIPMAN, Sec'y.

BUSINESS NOTES.

CUBAN WAR NEWS

Report of the Desertion of the Spanish Garrison San Jose las Lajas.

EXCITEMENT AT THE PALACE.

Anarchy Begun When Troops Arrived From Havana. Many Residents Shot Down in the Streets—Insurgents Capture a Million Rounds of Cartridges. Confirmation of Sanchez's Death.

KEY WEST, Fla., Dec. 4.—News has been received here that the troops of the Spanish garrison at San Jose las Lajas, 20 miles northeast of Havana abandoned their post and joined the insurgents. Many of the citizens accompanied the troops and carried ammunition with them. The news caused great excitement at the palace and fresh troops were immediately sent to the post and order was restored. Before the troops arrived anarchy reigned, and when the troops reached the city many residents were shot down in the streets.

News from Santiago de Cuba reports that the insurgents captured an important Spanish convoy of ammunition and supplies between Buycito and Manzanillo with nearly 10,000 rounds of Mauser and Remington cartridges.

No more social or family gatherings will be held in Havana unless special permits shall be secured from the authorities. All the homes of leading Cuban families are watched as well as the movements of foreign correspondents, and are reported to the police.

The Cuban Junta has received from Cuba confirmation of the report of the death in battle of Major General Serafin Sanchez inspector general of the insurgent army, at Las Damas, Santa Clara province, on Nov. 20. An expedition was expected from Jamaica and part of the forces of Generals Carrillos and Sanchez started for the coast to receive it. The insurgents numbered about 1,200 men, but before reaching the point where the expedition was to disembark the column was attacked by 3,000 Spaniards under General Lora. A desperate battle ensued, which lasted five hours, darkness making it impossible to continue the fight. In the battle the Spaniards suffered a loss of 170 killed and 90 wounded. The Cuban loss was 48 killed and 26 wounded.

General Sanchez, mounted on a small horse was in the thick of the battle. His last words were: "Viva Cuba Libre."

Fort Guanabacoa Bombarded.

Advices received from Havana by the steamer Olivette state that on Tuesday the vanguard of the army of Gomez camped near Guanabacoa, which is just across the bay from Havana. On Wednesday at noon the insurgents began to bombard Guanabacoa. The roar of the guns was heard easily in Havana and threw the loyalists of the capital into a panic. Many houses were fired by the shells from insurgents' cannon and the smoke and darkness were visible to the people in Havana. The Spaniards in Havana were greatly alarmed, as they believed that the bombardment of Guanabacoa was only preliminary to attack upon the metropolis.

HOLD UP IN A BREWERY.

Home Brewing Company of St. Louis Robbed in Broad Daylight. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—Three highwaymen with drawn revolvers entered the office of the Home Brewing company late yesterday and held up the cashier, Robert Haverkamp, forced him to hand over \$400 and then went behind the counter, looted the money drawers and secured probably \$500 additional.

The robbery was the most daring that has occurred in St. Louis for years. When the holdup occurred there were present in the office the cashier, a half dozen clerks and several customers. The robbers mounted a north Broadway car and went south when they left the car and went toward the river. A half dozen police officers hurried to the brewery office, but when they arrived there was no trace of the fellows.

Ex-Parte Investigations Abolished.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Ex-parte investigations by the government in pension cases have been abolished by recent action of the pension office, and this is a step of great importance to claimants of all classes, and will be of great benefit to veterans. The action is in line with the policy of Commissioner of Pensions Murphy to give the claimants the benefit of the doubt.

A disinterested and clear-headed judge doesn't allow himself to be biased by prejudice. Superstition doesn't affect his decisions. Mere tradition has no place in his reasoning. Facts are the only things which he considers. If the intelligent men and women who make up this great country of ours will simply bring their reason and common-sense to bear on the problem of curing their sickness, we will soon be a nation most remarkable for health and longevity. The plain, unadorned facts are all that is necessary to convince a fair-minded people of its transcendent merit. They are as follows:

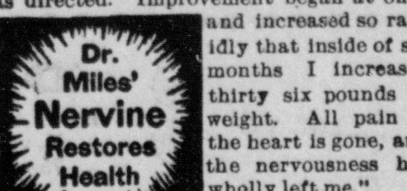
All diseases come from germs. The germs get into the blood, propagate and increase in the blood, which carries them all over the body. When they find a weak spot, they stick to the weak spot. It becomes a diseased spot, and the disease is called by the name corresponding to its location in the body. The cause is the same for nearly all diseases. All impurities are germs, or breed germs. Impure blood means germ filled impurities. Kill the germs, eliminate the impurities, enrich the blood, and it will force itself into the diseased spot and strengthen it, and give it power to throw off the germs that exist there. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the only medicine that is the theory. The facts are these—tens of thousands of people have used the "Discovery." It is used to be sold with the understanding that if it didn't cure, it should be returned, and the money refunded. No body ever asked for the money, and so that clause was dropped. Thousands of people have written voluntary letters of thanks to its discoverer. A few of these letters have been included in Dr. Pierce's great book and page book Common Sense Medical Adviser. It will be sent absolutely free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay for mailing only. Address: Dr. J. C. Riddle, Medical Association, No. 665 Oak Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sick Headache.

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EVER since I was sixteen years old until I learned of Dr. Miles' Restorative Remedies, I suffered from sick headache and extreme nervousness and dyspepsia. In time heart disease developed. I was treated by several doctors with no relief. Severe palpitation with pain in left breast, shortness of breath, and smothering spells made me most miserable. I procured Dr. Miles' Cure and took them alternately as directed. Improvement began at once and increased so rapidly that inside of six months I increased thirty six pounds in weight. All pain in the heart is gone, and the nervousness has wholly left me.



MRS. CHAS. KNAPP, W. German St., Little Falls, N. Y., Nov. 7, '93. Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle being of money refunded. Book on Heart and Nerves sent free to all applicants. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

TARDY EXPLOSION.

Thomas Paswick Horribly Burned in a Coal Mine.

CLINTON, Ind., Dec. 4.—Thomas Paswick, a coal miner, was frightfully burned yesterday by the tardy explosion of a blast. He had lighted a squib and retired to another part of the mine to await the explosion. Hearing no report he concluded the squib had failed and went back to replace it. When within a few feet of the face of the coal there was a terrific explosion and the room was filled with burning powder and flying lumps of coal. He was completely buried beneath the coal and suffered the awful torture of being practically baked alive. His screams attracted the attention of some men, who hurried to his rescue. More dead than alive he was moved to the top of the shaft and removed to his home.

Cincinnati Record Assigns.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 4.—The latest effort to establish a new morning paper in Cincinnati came to an end yesterday, when an assignment was made, after only 11 issues. The "Record" began publication Nov. 23 as a 1-cent daily, and this morning M. C. Reefer, representing the company owners, assigned to Charles L. Copperech, giving preference to R. Hoe & Co., and the American Type foundry. The cause of the failure is said to be inability to meet the claims of employees.

Two Men Drowned.

CELINA, O., Dec. 4.—Two prominent oil operators were drowned here yesterday. Ernest Godfrey of Emlenton, Pa., was on the ice on a lake, the ice broke, Arthur Palmer of Montezuma, O., ran to his rescue and the ice gave way beneath him and both drowned.

Knightsville Residence Burned.

KNIGHTSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 4.—A house belonging to John Harmon, and occupied by Abijah Smith, who lost all his household goods, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Fire originated from a defective flue. The loss was \$1,500 and insurance \$500.

TRI-STATE BREVITIES.

The Consolidated Coal company will improve its mines at Gillespie, Ill., spending \$200,000 in the work.

The receipts of the United States revenue office at Belleville, Ill., for the month of November were \$48,916.94.

Charles Briggs, one of the public school janitors at South Bend, Ind., attempted suicide by swallowing morphine.

M. T. Hart of Crown Point, Ind., has established a skunk farm near Hartsville. He finds a ready market for the pelts.

Milton Heald of Anderson, Ind., who was accidentally shot while repairing a revolver owned by Joseph Hickson, is dead.

Elias Hartwell, a wealthy farmer of Elkhart county, Ind., was found dead in his corncrib, where he had gone to throw feed to his hogs.

In trying to get a shot at a frisky rabbit near Mount Vernon, Ill., Elijah Baldwin succeeded in planting a charge of birdshot in his boy's leg.

Mary Stanley, a member of the famous Kyspy family of near Dayton, O., died recently at Clarendon, Ark. The deceased was queen of the tribe.

Relatives of D. W. C. Lugenbeel of Delaware, O., have reported to the police that he has been absent since last Thursday. They fear foul play.

There are 15 cases of typhoid fever at Logansport, Ind., all caused by using infected milk, said to have been sold by one dairymen. One death has resulted.

Deputy Sheriff John Mulochter and Henry Newberry have been bound over to the grand jury at Toledo, O., on a charge of aiding John Harrington, accused of murder, to escape jail.

A gas explosion in the Bailey school-house, near Hartford City, Ind., caused \$1,200 loss. The explosion happened after nightfall and is attributed to lamps, who turned on the gas direct from a high pressure main.

Massachusetts Vote.

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—The official canvass of the vote for president in this state shows that 279,976 ballots were cast for McKinley, 108,711 for Bryan and 11,749 for Palmer. McKinley's plurality, 173,265 against a plurality for Harrison in 1892 of 36,001.

Buried by a Snowslide.

LOGAN, Utah, Dec. 4.—Hyrum Jepsen, James Christianson, Sr., and son James, were buried in a snowslide in Logan canon. Jepsen finally extricated himself, but the father and son were both killed.

Charged With Stuffing the Payroll.

BUFFALO, Dec. 4.—Eugene W. Harrington, deputy city controller, has been arrested on a charge of grand larceny. An investigation has shown that Harrington had been "stuffing" a payroll. He is a relative of Mayor Jewett.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Broom uinina Tablets All druggists refund the money if fail to cure. 25c.

THINK THEY KNOW

Politicians Talk of an Extra Session, but the Major Says Nothing.

CONFERENCE WITH THURSTON.

Chairman Dingley of the Ways and Means Committee Consults With the President-Elect—Oregon Would Be Proud to Have a Man in the Cabinet—Babcock Expresses Himself.

CANTON, O., Dec. 4.—The bright sunshine and good air of yesterday afforded Major and Mrs. McKinley opportunity for a drive about the city which the rougher weather of the earlier days in the week prevented. Mrs. McKinley is apparently enjoying as good health as falls to her lot and seems to have regained her former strength.

In the midst of conferences with Senator Thurston, ex-Congressman Mason and others, the major found time to cordially greet all visitors.

Congressman R. W. Taylor of this district was among the visitors. He has been in Washington a short time and leaves on Saturday for the short session. He said he had no official information on the subject, but the logic of the situation seemed to point to an extra session.

Congressman Nelson Dingley, Jr., of Lewiston, Me., chairman of the ways and means committee and author of the Dingley revenue bill, came in from Cleveland. He was met at the depot by attacks of the McKinley household and went direct to the residence. Here lunch was had, following which a consultation was held upon the pertinent questions of the hour.

Senators Mitchell and George W. McBride and Congressman Blinger Herman of Oregon arrived late in the day. They are on their way to Washington for the winter and stopped off here to pay their respects to Major McKinley. When seen by an Associated Press representative, Senator McBride said:

"There is nothing political in our visit to Major McKinley; it is purely of a social nature. We would be proud to have a man from Oregon in the cabinet, but as yet the sentiment has not crystallized on any one person. There has been much talk of Senator Mitchell for place in the cabinet, but I don't think he has given it any consideration himself. We in Oregon would sooner have him go back to the senate again."

General Stewart L. Woodford of New York and A. J. Daugherty of Peoria, Ill., were callers at the residence of the president-elect. Mr. Daugherty is a member of the Illinois legislature.

Senator Gear of Iowa.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Senator Gear of Iowa, one of the foremost legislators connected with the preparation of the McKinley bill in 1890, who arrived here yesterday, expressed the opinion that there will be nothing done in the present session except the passage of the appropriation bills and some other measures like the immigration bill, which will not provoke much discussion or enthusiasm. The senator looks for an extra session at which the tariff and financial questions will be taken up.

Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin says he does not believe anything will be done regarding the currency or the tariff at this session.

Senator Dubois' Position.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Dubois of Idaho, has arrived and in reply to a question as to the attitude of the silver Republicans on the tariff question he replied that he had had no opportunity to consult with other senators, but that so far as the Dingley bill was concerned he did not believe there was any show of its passage. "It is a measure which has already been condemned," he said, "and it appears to me to be folly to waste time upon it. To my mind congress should meet and pass the appropriation bills and go home."

Inaugural Ball.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 4.—Concerning the report going the rounds to the effect that the inaugural ball may possibly be omitted at the coming inauguration of President-elect McKinley in March, Chairman M. A. Hanna, who has charge of the arrangements pertaining to such matters, said yesterday: "I think the inaugural ball will be held as usual. It has become a time-honored custom in connection with the inaugural ceremonies and there is no reason why it should be omitted now."

Wyoming Official Vote.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 4.—The official canvass of the vote of Wyoming was made yesterday. The result is as follows: Republican electors, Brittain, 10,087; Howell, 10,038; Mrs. Mulloy, 9,198; Bryan and Watson electors: Jordan, 485; Sims, 487; Levering, Prohibition electors: Higby, 138; Jackson, 138; Smith, 159; Bryan and Sewall electors: D. S. VanMeter, (Populist), 10,138; John A. Martin, (Democrat), 10,969; P. J. Quasly, (Democrat) 20,352.

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After Since Junction of Girlhood and Womanhood. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Physicists Pronounced the Case "Prolapsus Uteri"—Could Not Walk Without Pain—Words Inadequate to Express Her Gratitude for Relief Received.

RED HOUSE, VA.—To Mrs. Pinkham: "My heart goes out in sympathy to all who are suffering with troubles peculiar to the female sex. I would like to express my gratitude for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. I have been a sufferer since girlhood, did not then know the cause of dreadful sick headaches and other troubles. I could not take long walks, lift or carry anything heavy, and was very nervous. Last summer I was almost an invalid, could not walk across my room without pain. I sent for your physician. He pronounced my case a bad one of 'Prolapsus Uteri,' congestion and ulceration of the womb, and said I was to lie a-bed. I was so distressed to find myself so helpless and useless to my family, I saw your Compound advertised and thought I would try it. I took fourteen bottles and used the Sanative Wash and Pills as directed, and now I am as strong as I ever was, and do all my own housework. I can walk more than a mile without any inconvenience. Oh! I am truly grateful. I cannot write the good you have done me. Words are inadequate to express it. May God bless you for the good you are doing. Mrs. Sidney Hamlet, Red House, Va."

This case is a good illustration of perseverance and faith. Mrs. Hamlet's sickness was severe, it took courage and patience to master the disease, but in good time the Compound produced the happy result as it will always do. The more difficult the case, however, the longer it will take to cure it—many women lose courage before the medicine has time to thoroughly 'take hold' of the system.

FITZSIMMONS AND SHARKEY.

Courts Will Have to Settle Who Is Entitled to the Purse.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Bob Fitzsimmons, through his attorney, has commenced suit in the superior court to restrain the Anglo-California bank from paying Sharkey the \$10,000 awarded the sailor by Referee Earp. Fitzsimmons charges conspiracy between Sharkey, the National Athletic club and others, whose names are not given, to award Sharkey the purse under any circumstances. Fitz alleges that before Earp was selected as referee this agreement was made, and that had he known of it he would have refused to enter the ring.

Judge Sanderson granted the injunction prayed for and the case will soon be tried in court. The National club is composed of G. Groom and John Gibbs, local men.

Referee Earp Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—When Wyatt Earp appeared in the ring to act as referee he was disarmed by Police Captain Wittman, who took from the Arizona man a large sized pistol. Last night Earp was arrested on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was released on bail.

A delegation of six reputable physicians examined Sharkey last night and made the following report: "We find the oedema or swelling on the left side of the groin extending partially to the left. Also two small ecchymotic spots or discolorations about half way down on the right side."

Dr. Lee, the man called in to attend Sharkey in spite of the fact that other physicians offered their services, is not recognized by the regular medical fraternity of this city. It is stated by a prominent physician that the injuries exhibited by Sharkey could have been caused by a blow on the navel.

State Dairy Association.

LEBANON, Ind., Dec. 4.—The State Dairy association will hold its seventh annual convention in this city Dec. 29 and 30. One of the most elaborate programmes in the history of the association has been prepared for the occasion.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle and Poultry on Dec. 3.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—Firm; No. 2 red, 90c. CORN—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 20c. OATS—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 13c. CATTLE—Heavy dry feed steers, \$4.15@4.40; shipping and export steers, \$3.75@4.10; common to fat steers, \$3.35@3.65. FEEDING STEERS, \$3.15@3.25; medium to choice heifers, \$2.75@3.25; common to choice cows, \$1.90@2.35; veal calves, \$3.50@5.00. QUIET.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

WHEAT—Dec. opened—c, closed—c. May opened 83c, closed 83c. CORN—Dec. opened—c, closed—c. May opened 26c, closed 26c. OATS—Dec. opened—c, closed—c. May opened 21c, closed 21c. HOGS—Jan. opened \$7.70, closed \$7.72. May opened \$8.05, closed \$8.07. LARD—Jan. opened \$4.00, closed \$3.97. May opened \$4.20, closed \$4.17. RICE—Jan. opened \$2.20, closed \$2.19. Closing cash markets: Wheat 80c, corn 23c, oats 18c, pork \$9.80, lard \$3.52, ribs \$3.90.

Cincinnati Grain and Stock.

WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, 86c. CORN—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 22c. OATS—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 20c. CATTLE—Steady; No. 2 mixed, \$3.50. HOGS—Stronger at \$2.50@2.45. SHEEP—Dull at \$2.00@1.35; lambs, lower at \$3.50@4.40.

Toledo Grain.

WHEAT—Higher; No. 2 cash, 97c. CORN—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 23c. OATS—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 18c.

East Liberty Live Stock.

CATTLE—Steady at \$2.00@2.70. HOGS—Dull at \$2.25@2.60. SHEEP—Steady at \$2.00@2.30; lambs, unchanged at \$3.50@4.50.

Fraud Order.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The postmaster general has issued a fraud order against C. B. Dangler of Dangler, Pa. Dangler was arrested some time ago by a postoffice inspector, charged with conducting a fraudulent mail order scheme.

Sent to the Pasture Institute.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 4.—Seven children, bitten by a mad dog in the suburbs of Baltimore Tuesday, were sent to the Pasture Institute yesterday by the Baltimore News.

OO MUCH CORN

Over a Million Bushels Raised in Four Indiana Counties.

HORRIBLY BURNED IN A MINE.

Alleged Forger Arrested—Little Girl Fatally Burned—Fireman Killed in His Cab—Heaviest Man in Southern Illinois. Dry House Burned—Other Interesting Tri-State News.

MONTPELIER, Ind., Dec. 4.—What to do with the immense corn crop of Blackford and adjoining counties is giving the farmers something to think about. It is estimated that the yield in Blackford, Wells, Grant and Jay counties is fully 1,600,000 bushels. Farmers say this section never turned out such a corn crop in its history. The average yield is about 50 bushels to the acre. The farmers have filled their cribs and constructed temporary cribs in the fields, and these are all running over with the product. The market is down to 17 and 18 cents a bushel with little demand at that price. The farmers say if they had hogs to feed the corn to, they could sell the pork as low as 8 cents a pound, and in that way get 40 cents a bushel for the corn.

JOHANN H. BUDDEN DEAD.

Heaviest Man in Southern Illinois. Weighed Four Hundred Pounds.

CARLYLE, Ill., Dec. 4.—Johann Heinrich Budden, weighing 400 pounds and probably the largest man in southern Illinois, has just been buried here. Three years ago his body became so heavy that his limbs refused to carry the ponderous weight, and since that time he was almost helpless. A few months ago he fell, and it required the efforts of two strong men, aided by an improvised derrick, to get him on his feet again.

Budden's waist measure was 130 inches, and his arms and legs were of an enormous size. He required a coffin six feet long, 26 inches wide and 24 inches deep, which is double extra size. Ten men carried the corpse to the cemetery, as a hearse could have never withstood its weight. Budden was born in Prussia in 1824. He had lived in Clinton county 50 years and had acquired a small fortune.

SAD INCIDENT.

Aged Grandmother Falls Dead While Blessing a Bridal Couple.

BRAZIL, Ind., Dec. 4.—The ceremony uniting Mark Patterson and Miss Katie Furneaux had just been concluded by Rev. Allen Lewis, when Mrs. Furneaux, the aged grandmother of the bride, advanced to extend her congratulations. She gave the bride and groom her blessing, kissed both, passing her hands over their heads, and then suddenly fell dead. Consternation prevailed, and a physician was hurriedly summoned, but nothing could be done. The wedding supper was dispensed with, and joy was turned to grief. The cause of death is attributed to apoplexy.

Fatally Burned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—May Fennin, 3 years old, was frightfully burned from hips to the top of her head. While her mother was working in the yard the little girl found some matches, which she began lighting. Her clothing caught fire and she was fatally burned. Her father, George Fennin, while trying to extinguish the flames, was severely burned. The child died after terrible suffering.

Shipbuilding on the Lakes.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 4.—A survey of the contracts for new shipping to be built on the great lakes this winter shows that vessels aggregating \$2,285,000 in value have been ordered. Seven steamers and nine barges are to be built, with a carrying capacity on a draft of 16 feet of over 61,000 tons. This is the more remarkable from the fact that the season of navigation just closed was very unprofitable.

Fireman Killed in His Cab.

VANDALIA, Ill., Dec. 4.—P. M. O. McFarland, fireman on No. 5 westbound Vandalia train, while leaning out of the cab window was struck on the head by the mail catcher, at St. Charles, and instantly killed. The engineer did not know of the accident till he discovered McFarland dead, with his head hanging out of the cab window. The remains were shipped to Terre Haute, where his family reside.

Prohibitive Ordinance.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Dec. 4.—The city council has passed a prohibitive ordinance against traveling fakirs. This is the third attempt of the authorities to force transients to pay license.



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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are due to the most skillful cause, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the only remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase that, you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists. If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, or if effects are due to the most skillful cause, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the only remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase that, you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists. If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, or if effects are due to the most skillful cause, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the only remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase that, you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.



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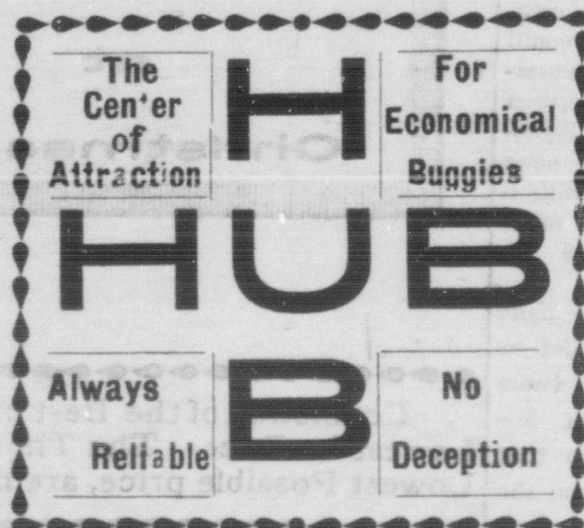
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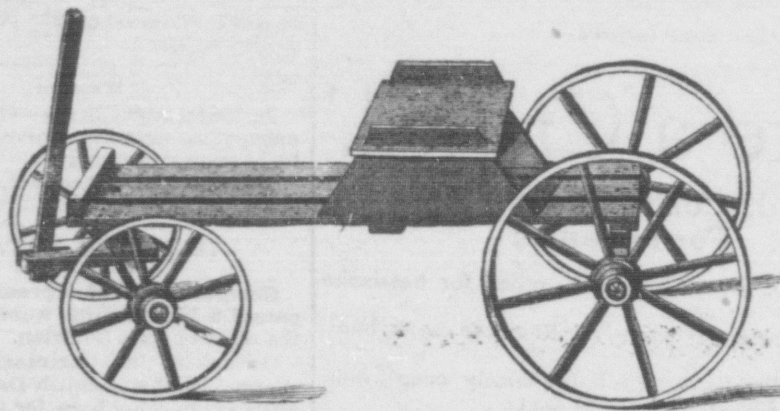
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CITY COUNCIL.

Business of the City Attended to in a Business Like Manner.

The city council met in regular session last night with Mayor Balsley in the chair and all members present but Schwing who came in later.

Minutes of previous meeting read by Clerk McKinney and approved.

Finance committee reported through chairman Miller that the treasurer's report for the month of October had been examined and found correct.

Goodale reported that the fire committee had received no definite answer from the firemen in the matter of keeping the hose reels in their barns and asked for further time. Granted.

Goodale, of the improvement committee, reported that the city wells recently put down by the Travis Carter Co. had been measured. The one near Milhous drugstore is 43 ft. 4 in. deep, the one near the postoffice on St. Louis Avenue is 50 ft. 5 in. deep and the one at the corner of Chestnut and Tipton streets 50 ft.

The treasurer's report for the month of November was submitted and showed a balance of \$9,849.55 on hand.

City engineer reported that he had employed H. L. Geiser to plant some trees about the Shields High School building and the Third ward building and that the whole had been satisfactorily done. Forty-two trees were planted at an expense of \$12.60.

Claims to the amount of \$58.41 were allowed.

The city commissioners reported favorably to the opening of the alley in block one Pfingst addition. The matter was referred back to the commissioners and city attorney with instructions.

Burkley said that the telephone company had cut limbs out of trees in many parts of the city and left the same in the street. Marshal instructed to notify the company to remove all these at once.

On motion of Bergdoll, Anton Massman was instructed to extend his tile drain on Bruce street to west side of Poplar street emptying into the sewer. Bergdoll also call attention to condi-

tion of floor in city jail. The matter was referred to improvement committee with power to act.

DeGolyer asked for improvement of two street crossings on Broadway street. Street commissioner instructed to make repairs.

Price asks that Dr. Kyte be granted privilege to extend cellar drain across Walnut street. Privilege granted with the understanding that the dirt be replaced properly.

Price also asks for the repair of some street crossings. Granted.

Schwing said that the grade committee would like to have privilege to put down such a crossing for trial.

Thompson asks for repairs of ceiling in city building. Referred to improvement committee with power to act.

Shields moved that city treasurer be instructed to bring coupons of city bonds redeemed to council chamber at next meeting that they might be destroyed. Carried.

Council adjourned at 8:40.

AFFLICTED.

J. H. Nolting is no better.
Miss Edith Sage is able to be up most of the time.

C. J. Leidorf is not feeling so well. He has contracted cold.

John Deppert is suffering with a stiff neck, the result of cold.

Dr. A. G. Green went this morning to look after the diphtheria in that vicinity.

George F. Steinkamp's mangled hand is doing well and he went yesterday to the county to start his sawmill again.

Charles H. Cordes, has so far recovered from a long and serious sickness as to spend most of his time at the store.

Mrs. Louisa Dannettell, of the Ridge, who has been very sick for some time with infirmity is growing better slowly.

Miss Lora, daughter of Newton Trowbridge, of Grassy Fork township, who was protracted in October with typhoid fever, is some better.

The school at Medora was closed yesterday on account of diphtheria and Miss Cora Robertson, teacher, returned to her home west of Cortland this morning.

CASORIA
The family signature of Dr. H. H. Peterson is on every bottle.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Fireman Will Wagner went Thursday to Louisville to visit friends.

D. M. Rappole, of the K. C. Line, was a business visitor here last evening.

Firemen Alva Murphy, after a visit to his father, Joab Murphy, and family, returned last evening to North Vernon to take his place on the switch engine there.

Dangerously Injured.

John A. Ross and Mrs. J. E. McKinney left this morning for Connersville in response to a telegram stating that their mother, Mrs. Sarah Ross, was dangerously hurt last night by a fall. She is sixty-eight years old and was there on a visit to her son.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The remedy cured me, and I want all my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do me good." Sold by C. W. Milhous.

Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES
Doran Miss Mary
Lay Miss Mattie
Stevens Miss Ethel

GENTS
Dannettelle Harold
Goring Michael
Guyim Geo J
Helston Geo
Huffman J M
Monden S N
Moore Dili
McDonald James
Tiler Del

GEO. E. PRICE, P. M.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all female complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, constipation, headache, fainting spells, or are nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at W. F. Peter, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co.'s drug store.

HOTEL ON FIRE.

Blaze at the Denison House Comes Near Causing a Panic.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—This morning at 3 o'clock fire broke out in the baggage room of the Denison House. The fire department was soon on the scene and the flames had gained such headway in the rear of the baggage room that it was some minutes before the firemen made an impression on it. The rear of Manager Oullen's office soon began blazing, the fire having crept under the floor, and a stream was turned in there. It was 20 minutes before the firemen had extinguished the flames. By this time the guests began to pour out into the hallways.

There was great danger of a panic on account of the smoke, but several gentlemen went through the upper portion of the hotel and calmed the guests as much as possible by assuring them that there was no danger. Secretary of State Owen's wife, who is an invalid, was brought to the first floor, she bearing up bravely under the excitement.

Mrs. Charles E. Wright and a number of other ladies suffered considerably from fright. There was great danger at one time of the guests jumping from the windows in their excitement, but the coolness of Night Clerk Carey finally reassured all that there was no danger and quiet resumed. The cause of the fire is unknown, and it was impossible for the hotel people to give an estimate of the loss this morning.

LEXINGTON SALE.

Turkmen Bid Good Prices For Kentucky Thoroughbreds.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 4.—The greatest sale of thoroughbreds in the history of Kentucky took place here yesterday. The Eaton company sold the horses of the Elmendorf and Beaumont studs which brought to Lexington prominent turfmen from every section. Caudlemas, imported son of Hermit and Pave, was the first offering and was knocked down to John Mackay, representing J. B. Haggins, the California millionaire turfman, for \$15,000. Imported Order, sire of Ornament and son of Ben D'or and Angelica was started at \$10,000 by W. S. Barnes, who forced Haggins's representative to bid \$30,000 to secure the premier of Beaumont. Victorine, dam of Ornament, also went to Haggins at \$10,000, who also took Imp Chevalier at \$4,000.

OFFICERS TO BE ARRESTED.

Marshalltown (Ia.) Soldiers' Home: Officers Charged With Violating Laws.
DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 4.—Federal officers of the southern district of Iowa will next week arrest the officers and

trustees of the Iowa Soldiers' home at Marshalltown, for committing misdemeanor against the federal government by interfering with the pensions of soldiers who are inmates of the home. They will be taken at once before Judge Woolworth for trial.

The officers who will be arrested are: J. R. Ratskin, commandant; S. B. Evans of Ottawa, R. J. Jefferson of Jefferson, A. T. Barnard of Marshalltown, C. L. Davidson of Hull, L. B. Raymond of Hampton and J. W. Morton of Washington, trustees of the institution.

Adjutant General's Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—The annual report of Adjutant General Robbins has been filed with the governor. He recommends that \$720 be appropriated annually for an armorer and \$500 for additional office expenses. He also recommends that the adjutant general hereafter receive \$1,000 and the quartermaster-general \$1,200 at least. The total number of officers in the Indiana National Guard is 197; enlisted men, 2,894; total, 3,091.

Charged With Forging a Name.

FORT WAYNE, Dec. 4.—John G. Lehr, former city and county delinquent tax collector, was arrested yesterday on the charge of forgery. The complaint alleges that he forged the name of Ambrose Ashton as security on a note for \$400. The note is due and Ashton is dead. The heirs claim the signature is not genuine. Lehr was sent to jail in default of bond. He drew a revolver and fired at his temple, but was unsuccessful in his attempt to kill himself.

Cold Weather In Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 4.—Unusually cold weather for Florida has prevailed here for three days, the thermometer reaching 36 degrees. Heavy winds on the coast endanger shipping. The steamship Iroquois of the Clyde line came up the river yesterday after laying off the bar at the mouth of the river for 54 hours, the sea being too rough for a pilot to board the steamer.

Jewelry Firm Robbed.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—The Columbian jewelry company, a wholesale firm doing business in the Western Union building, was robbed of watches, scarf pins, sleeve buttons and other jewelry, amounting in value to about \$800, yesterday. The robbery was a mysterious one, and the police are now searching for a clew which may lead to the arrest of the thieves.

Mrs. Lease's Home.

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 4.—Notice of foreclosure of a mortgage on the Lease homestead has been issued. The amount involved is \$1,400 and costs. Mrs. Lease is in New York. The home is a pretty one, apparently worth more than the amount involved. The notice of sheriff's sale appeared this week among the legal notices.

A GRAND DISPLAY

Christmas Goods!

Albums, Books, Booklets, Bibles, Family and Teachers', Building Blocks' A B C Blocks, Dolls in endless variety from 1c to \$5.00, Doll Buggies, Boy's Wagons and Velocipedes, Hobby Horses, Shoeing Rockers, Gold Pens, Ladies Toilet Set, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes.

Toys! Toys! Toys!

(A MOST COMPLETE LINE.)

AND THOUSANDS OF OTHER ARTICLES
SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

F. O. COX. No. 20,
West Second St.

Great Reduction

We must close out our

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks Cheap

In order to make room for our large stock of Toys for Christmas. Note prices below:

1 lot all wool jackets.....50c
1 lot all wool jackets.....\$1.25
1 lot all wool cloaks.....\$2.50
1 lot cloaks worth \$5.50 for.....\$4.00
1 lot cloaks worth \$10.00 for.....\$6.00
1 lot cloaks worth \$6.50 for.....\$4.75
1 lot capes worth \$4.00 for.....\$2.75
1 lot capes worth \$7.50 for.....\$5.75
1 lot capes worth \$9.00 for.....\$7.00
1 lot capes worth \$13.00 for.....\$9.00

Come early and secure these bargains.

Sold only for SPOT CASH.

CHAS. R. HOFFMANN.

22 S. CHESTNUT ST.

MILLER & WILNELL,

Insurance, Real Estate, Rental and Loan Agts.

Desirable Property for Sale or Rent.
Call on us for bargains. Business promptly attended to

Office in Opera House Block. Seymour, Ind.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

One Year in Advance \$5.00
Six Months " " 3.00
Three Months " " 1.50
One Month " " .50

Year in Advance \$5.00
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'Three Make a Crowd.'

If three make a crowd, Cox's Pharmacy is never without it. For instance:

- 1—PAULINE'S HEADACHE POWDER, a safe, certain relief for headache, neuralgia, pains, grip and fever—10 cents.
- 2—COX'S CORN CRACKER, "Cracks 'em Every Time." Removes corns, bunions, callouses and warts—10 cents.
- 3—TAR AND CHERRY COUGH SYRUP. Safe and reliable family cough remedy that does all that is claimed for it—Big bottle 25 cents.

TELEPHONE ORDERS PROMPTLY DELIVERED.

Bring Your Prescriptions to
Cox's Pharmacy, Seymour, Ind.

Beautiful Wedding Gifts.
Beautiful Birthday Gifts.

AUTUMN WEDDING BELLS.

Are ringing merrily. Buyers of

BRIDAL GIFTS

Will be delighted with our magnificent stock of
Silverware, Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

Our stock is one of the largest and best. Never in the history of silverware have the prices been as low as they are now. This is the time to buy silverware for wedding and birthday gifts.

J. G. LAUPUS,
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.

READY FOR CHRISTMAS.

The largest and most complete up to date stock of everything in the

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware and Optical Line.

Don't buy a thing in the Jewelry Line till you have looked through our immense stock.

No Trouble to Show Goods. Engraving Free.

I am laying away Holiday Presents daily. Everybody invited to call and see goods and learn prices. Don't forget the place.

S.V. HARDING

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REAL ESTATE

LOANS

LOANS QUICKLY NEGOTIATED at 8 per cent interest on first-class farms or city property, owing to amount. Money securely invested in 8 and 9 per cent bonds. Elegant building lots and much other valuable property for sale. Post Office Building, Seymour, Ind. (Call in person or write.)

W. G. GEILE, Tailor.

Cleaning and repairing a specialty. New work at lowest prices.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop over Tabb's store, corner Chestnut and Tipton streets.

W. A. CARTER & SON,

Headquarters for

HUNTERS' SUPPLIES.

17 EAST SECOND ST.

The highest vote ever cast in Nevada was in 1876 when the state cast 19,691 votes. The total vote of the state this year was 8,507. Yet Nevada has two senators, Jones and Stewart, who have obstructed legislation in the interest of the people.

The Central American States are making an effort to unite. It is a commendable movement and will do more to advance the interests of these states than all the revolutions and civil wars which have characterized these states for so many years.

GEN. GOMEZ has been treating the residents of Havana to genuine war scare while Weyler has failed in the field against Maceo. If this news can be relied on, the insurgents' cause certainly looks brighter again. No people would be more rejoiced to see the Cubans victorious than those of this country where we have learned to appreciate our freedom.

It is a good time to circulate sound money literature. Men are more open to conviction than they were during the heat of the campaign. They will now consider an argument on its merits which would have been branded before as a campaign lie. Even if the free silver question should never become a prominent issue again it is well enough to put the issue beyond the hope of a revival.

The falling off of both the total vote and pluralities for the popocrat candidates this year in nearly all of the southern states is especially noteworthy. Another free silver campaign would probably throw most of these life long democrat states into the republican and sound money column. The leading papers in that section all agree that free silver would not stand any show in another campaign on the same lines, and they agree that free silver as a political issue is dead.

Read our advertising columns to-day for bargains. It will always pay you to read the advertisements in the REPUBLICAN.

The Arena, the magazine to which John Clark Ridpath was recently called as editor has gone into the hands of a receiver. So it seems that our recent scholar in politics is to be disappointed again.

WHEN the democrats first came into power their chief cause of anxiety was the surplus which had been piled up under republican administrations. The republicans will not be troubled with anything of that sort when they again take charge next March. There is nothing on hand now but deficits and these do not crowd the treasury vaults.

HOKK SMITH's paper the Atlantic Journal makes the following noteworthy statement.

A great big and very significant fact is that Mr. Bryan received 300,000 less votes in the south than did Mr. Cleveland in 1892 on a platform which distinctly declared against the free coinage except on conditions which would guarantee parity. It must be remembered that the bulk of the populist vote in the south went to Mr. Bryan, whereas Mr. Cleveland received none of it. There were probably a million more democrats in the south who voted for Cleveland in 1892 than voted for Bryan in 1896.

The paper intimates that the light vote in the south, not over one third in Georgia, is due to the fact that democrats would not vote for Bryan. He concludes with the declaration that "public opinion in the south on the silver question is by no means represented by the vote at the recent election."

Prosperous Railroad.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The directors of the Hocking Valley railroad at a meeting held yesterday declared the semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock.

Weather.

Indiana and Illinois—Generally fair, except in extreme northern portions; local snows; warmer.
Ohio—Warmer and fair, probably followed on the lakes by light local snows.

TELEGRAPH BRIEVITIES.

Georgia house of representatives have passed a bill making women eligible to the office of state librarian.

Owing to the extraordinary prices charged for coal in South Dakota, flouring mills are burning bran for fuel.

E. H. Sothorn, the actor, and Virginia Harned, his former leading lady, were privately married in Philadelphia yesterday.

Suit over a hog, the original value of which was only \$10, has been dragging in the Missouri courts until the costs amount to \$1,000.

Under the direction of the fish commissioner the government is stocking the rivers of eastern states with Pacific coast salmon.

National Council of Women, in session at Boston, yesterday listened to the reading of reports of officers and took a recess for the day.

ANDY SCHAFER AND JACOB SCHUCK Of Martinsville, Ind., Recommend Wright Celery Capsules.

MARTINSVILLE, IND., May 28, 1896. To the Wright Medical Co., Columbus, Ohio.

GENTS—I have purchased a box of Wright's Celery Capsules from W. B. Tarleton, druggist, and used them for indigestion, stomach trouble and constipation. I have been greatly benefited, in fact almost cured with one box. It is the best medicine without exception that I have used for my troubles. Yours very truly,

ANDY SCHAFER.
MARTINSVILLE, IND., May 18, 1896. To the Wright Medical Co., Columbus, Ohio.

GENTS—I have purchased a box of Wright's Celery Capsules from W. B. Tarleton, druggist, and used them for indigestion and constipation. I was greatly benefited by using them and would not be without them.

Very truly yours,
JACOB SCHUCK.
Sold by A. J. Pellens, druggist.

CASTORIA.

The famous signature of *Dr. H. H. H.* is on every wrapper.

We need nearly 3,000 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for breathing purposes, but we can do with as little as 2,500. Children need less and there are now building schools to give the children, 1,800 cubic feet per hour.

Old papers for putting under carpet, shelves, etc. at this office 20 cents per hundred.

If you want up to date goods at hard time prices go to S. V. Harding's.

Mr. C. M. Dixon, a well known merchant of Pleasant Ridge, Fulton county Pa., has a little girl who is frequently threatened with croup, but when the first symptoms appear, his wife gives her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which always affords prompt relief. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhouse, Druggist.

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For Infants and Children

The famous signature of *Dr. H. H. H.* is on every wrapper.

HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Thomas Clothing Co.

If you desire to make a present to a friend of something of intrinsic worth and merit and for which they will ever hold you in grateful remembrance it will pay you to call at this

Reliable Clothing House

And
Take a
Peep
at
Christmas.



Our
Great
Holiday
Stock
Is Now
Ready.

Consisting of the Best of Suits, and Overcoats ever sold in Seymour. Not only the most stylish, but the Lowest in Price. The Thomas Clothing Co.'s persistent efforts to sell the best of everything at the Lowest Possible price, are meeting their just reward.



Men's Overcoats.

You must have one. Then get a good one. We have them Blue, Black and Fancy Shades. Elegantly Lined, Royally Trimmed. Especially adapted for a nice Holiday Gift.

Price - - - \$7.50 to \$12.50

Men's Ulsters.

Ulsters are always good, and every man should have a good one. We have them in all grades at prices running from

\$2.00 to \$12.00

Men's Suits.

Men's Full Dress Suits, all correct in Fashion. Made by the best tailors and sold by The Thomas Clothing Co. Better see these suits before you make a purchase.

\$5.00 to 15.00

We also take your measure and make suits to order if you so desire.

Men's Mackintosh.

A Gentleman's Mackintosh makes a present that would be appreciated. You will find a full line at our establishment.

Prices - - - \$2.75 to \$6.50

Umbrellas and Canes.

26 and 28 inch Silk Umbrellas, Steel Rods, Dresden, Natural, Ebony, Silver and Gold Handles.

Hats and Caps.

A new line of Hats and Caps of the Latest Blocks and Shapes. Bought expressly for the Holiday trade.

Men's Neckwear

Of every Pattern and Designs in Silk and Satins. Comprising all of the latest Novelties for the Holiday trade.

Special Bargains in Men's Underwear and Hosiery.

Children's Overcoats.

Children's Deep Military Cape Overcoats, 3 to 8 years, and serviceable materials.

Price - - - \$1.25 to \$3.50

Boy's Long Cut Ulsters, with Storm Collars, 3 to 15 years.

\$2.00 to \$4.50

Boy's Knee Suits.

The crowds of buyers that visit our Boy's Department, make us feel satisfied with our efforts to please the public in this line of suits.

\$1.00 to \$3.50

Youth Long Pant Suits.

Of every character and kind

\$2.00 to \$6.50

Men's Fancy Shirts.

Men's Laundered Dress Shirts, white bodies with fancy stripe check and Persian Pattern Bosoms

50c to \$1.00

Men's and Boy's Night Robes.

Men and Boy's Fancy Night Robes. Made of Outing Cloth and Wamsutta Muslin. In all sizes and full lengths.

Men's Gloves.

Have them in all of the Newest Shades of Tan, Brown, Oxblood Red, consisting of Kids and Mochoes. Nothing nicer for a present. Special Holiday Price.

\$1.00

Men's Silk and Satin Suspenders

A Complete Line of Men's Silk and Satin Suspenders, Plain and Silk Embroideries. Makes a beautiful as well as Useful Present for a gentleman.

25c to \$1.00

Silk Handkerchiefs.

Gentlemen Silk Handkerchiefs. Plain and with Initials.

25c to \$1.00



We design to do some remarkable selling within the next 30 days. Our prices will be found so captivating that the desire to buy will be irresistible.

The Thomas Clothing House, Seymour, Ind.

Wiremill Doing Double Turn.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Dec. 4.—The wiremill of the Consolidated Steel and Wire company at this place has started on double turn and the nailmill of the same company, that has been idle since last July, will start up on double turn next Monday morning. These two establishments employ about 500 hands.

Short in His Accounts.

ELMHURST, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Upton Lovejoy, Jr., cashier of the state reformatory here, disappeared two weeks ago. An examination of his accounts has revealed a shortage of \$1,300. His friends fear that Lovejoy has committed suicide.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are best.

Use Dr. Miles' Nerve and Brain Tonic for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

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Alleged Forger Arrested.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Dec. 4.—John E. Jones, selling small Catholic household furniture, was arrested here yesterday for forging the name of John Dahn of Columbus to an \$8 check. Mrs. Montgomery, with whom he boarded, refused to cash the check and followed him to the bank, giving the cashier a hint which caused his capture.

Dry House Burned.

BLOOMINGTON, Ills., Dec. 4.—Fire yesterday destroyed the large dry house connected with the Showers Brothers' furniture factory in which was \$50,000 worth of lumber. The loss on stock is \$30,000, with \$1,500 on building; two-thirds insured. The fire started from the heaters.

Raised the Price on Bread.

ANDERSON, Ind., Dec. 4.—The Anderson bakers have entered into an agreement to increase the price of bread to 5 cents a loaf, because of the increased price of wheat, a demand being made for 16-ounce loaves by customers.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop., St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by LaGrippe by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E. 25th St. Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of croup, because it instantly relieves. Free trial bottles at W. F. Peter's, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co.'s, Drug Store.

Thinks There Will Be an Extra Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Representative Babcock of Wisconsin arrived yesterday direct from Canton. He expressed the opinion that there would be an extra session of congress next spring and that there would be no effort at the approaching session to pass the Dingley bill.

LEW WALLACE.

He Cards the Press on the Senatorial Contest.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—General Lew Wallace has given the following signed communication to the press, occasioned by the talk of the general as a successor to Senator Voorhees:

"The frequent recurrence of my name in connection with the United States senatorship, shortly to occupy the attention of the legislature, will excuse me for saying that I am not a seeker of any office in appointment or election. To be indeed an honor and to leave one free to serve the state and nation, it is, in my opinion, essential that the senatorship should go to him without solicitation on his part. Treating the remark as a condition, my acceptance of a nomination would be governed by it."

A ten year old son of Louis Ernest, of Don't be persuaded into buying liniments without reputation or merit—Chamberlain's Pain Balm costs no more and its merits have been proven by a test of many years. Such letters as the following, from L. G. Bagley, Hueneme, Cal., are constantly being received: "The best remedy for pain I have ever used is Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and I say so after having used it in my family for several years." It cures rheumatism, lame back, sprains and swellings. For sale by C. W. Milhouse, Druggist.

Sound Money in the Northwest.

So far as we have observed, the Eastern press and the Eastern public have not yet done full justice to the election returns of the Northwest. In view of the deep solicitude manifested during the campaign by people in the vicinity of New York regarding the situation in such states as Iowa and Minnesota, for example, it is somewhat amusing as well as instructive to note the fact that the aggregate sound-money majorities in a compact region belonging to the trade zone of Chicago, and including northwestern Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin were very much larger than the aggregate sound-money majorities given by the city and the state of New York and the adjacent populations. When New York gave a McKinley plurality of less than 275,000, a like population in the west, including Chicago and territory tributary to that city, gave a plurality of about 400,000 votes for the McKinley electors. The only Western state that voted for Mr. Bryan by a crushing majority was the mining state of Colorado—a state in which for a number of years all parties, republican, democratic and populist alike, had been unqualifiedly in favor of free-silver coinage.—From "The Progress of the World," in December Review of Reviews.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Wright's Celery Tea cures constipation, sick headaches. 25c at druggists.

DR. R. GOLDSTEIN,

The Famous Specialist of Chicago, Ill.,

Guarantees to Cure Every Case Taken or Money Refunded

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As scrofula. Stricture cured by never failing remedies.

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MONDAY DEC. 7, 1896.

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Maple syrup, buckwheat flour at The Model.

Buckwheat flour, maple syrup, Hancock's.

Money to loan and 63 here farm for sale.

Silver and gold headed canes at S. V. Harding's.

1lb package Rio coffee 17c at Headley's.

Street cider, maple syrup, buckwheat flour, Teckemeyer's.

S. V. Harding will please you once in quantity, twice in quality, three in times in price.

Silver knives, forks and spoon at S. V. Harding's at bargain.

Don't forget Leiford for choice fresh meats, spare ribs, shoulder bones, sausage and fresh oysters.

If you wish the choicest of fresh and cured meats of all kinds don't fail to call on W. H. Wallace, Monroe building.

Prices as low as the lowest.

Great bargains in men's overcoats at Mose the Boss'. a32t

Try 1lb Royal Gem coffee 17c at Headley's.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.

All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

DROWNED.

JAMES SHEEDY MEETS DEATH IN MUSCATATUCK.

His Body Found in a Drift Yesterday Near Staples Ford—Missing Since Monday.

Special to Seymour REPUBLICAN:

HAYDEN, IND., Dec. 4.—Yesterday morning a Mr. Hughes living at Staples ford, five and a half miles southwest of Hayden found a horse and buggy in the creek, the horse being dead. He went for help and got the horse and buggy out. Then taking a skiff they began looking about for signs of any occupants of the rig. About a hundred yards down stream the body of a man was found, whom neither one knew. Word was sent at once to Trustee Wohrer and Dr. C. C. Amick, of Hayden, who went to the place at once and identified the body as that of James Sheedy, of Hayden. He has been working for Timothy Lett, near Slate, and left that place Monday morning, since which time he has not been seen. Mr. Lett supposed that Sheedy was at his father's and his father supposed he was at Mr. Lett's, so no uneasiness was felt about him.

James Sheedy was an upright highly respected man, about 32 years of age. He was a widower and leaves two children. His death is a sad affair and is felt on all sides in Hayden where his home has been almost all his life, and where he had a host of friends. It is only about four months since his father, Patrick Sheedy buried a daughter. He had his overcoat and gloves on when found and his father says that he never could swim.

Staples ford is the worst in this part of the county and it is hoped the commissioners will now take steps toward putting in a bridge here. The ford is very dangerous even in low water for strangers.

COURT NOTES.

The suit of Mrs. Mathias Fox against her husband for divorce was continued in court yesterday.

The suit of Mayer against Blish occupied the attention of the court till a late hour last night. Witnesses in the case went down this morning. The suit will take up most of to-day.

DIED.

Mrs. Charles Hage, of Waskom, and an esteemed lady, died the other day with heart trouble, aged some thirty-five years.

The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

CHABBY'S CASH STORE.

Best Michigan beans, \$1.25 bu.

Golden Gem coffee, 17c pkg.

Pickles, 2 doz for 5c.

Bon Ton soap, 2 bars 5c.

Loose salt, 10 lb for 5c.

Fine toilet soap, 3 bars in a box, 5c box.

Cincinnati butchers' lard, 6c lb.

Inquire our prices on flour by the bbl.

Stick and mixed candies 5c lb.

We will make special reduction on any kinds of candies for the HOLIDAYS.

No. 118 South Chestnut street

1lb XXXX coffee, 16c at Headley's.

Beautiful new style clocks at Harding's.

S. D. Sutton, his daughters, Misses Laura, Anna and Kate, of near Hayden, drove down to the city to-day to shop.

The Baptist Outlook publishes an article this week on "Calvinism and Religious Liberty," written by Rev. J. W. Clevenger of this city.

A. Strauss, of Columbus, has traded his stock of dry goods in that city for a farm in Illinois, to D. M. Coffman, of Rockford, Tennessee.

Mistaken identity has from time immemorial furnished a basis for amusing complications. In Mr. A. Q. Scammon's latest musical comedy, "The Real Widow Brown," a young man by a clever disguise for a time impersonates the real widow, thereby furnishes the incentive of the fun, and the events following are screamingly funny. Fetching costumes, graceful dancing and taking music enhance the attractiveness of the performance. At Opera House Monday, Dec. 7.

Great bargains in men's underwear at Mose the Boss'. d3 2t

CHURCH NOTES.

The Christian church was crowded last night and Elder Scofield preached an able sermon.

Rev. Hemminger, of Crothersville, is continuing the revival at the M. E. church at Oldtown. The meetings are growing in interest. There have been twenty-two accessions up to Thursday.

HEADACHE cured in 30 minutes by Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. H. Judson, of near Scipio, is the guest of friends.

Mrs. A. J. Ropple, of Louisville, came here last evening to visit relatives.

F. W. Nolt, of Dayton, O., and H. A. Ingram, of St. Louis, were in the city to-day.

M. H. Hoffman and Miss Josie Hoffman, of Louisville, are the guests of friends here.

Mrs. B. F. Pennock, of Carthage, Mo., came here this morning to visit relatives near Freetown.

William M. McCollum, of Aurora, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. L. Shields, and family, last night.

S. H. Wierman and wife, of Huntingburg, came here this morning to visit friends on White Creek.

Mrs. Clara Hall, of Union, Iowa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Louisa Dannett and sons of the Ridge.

Mrs. L. Johns, of Olney, Ill., came here and went last night to Indianapolis to reside with her son, Roy Johns.

John Waggoner and daughter, Miss Ettie, of Jennings county, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Michael Farrell and family.

Mrs. J. W. Catterson, after a delightful visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Baxter, and family returned to day to Shoals.

Mrs. D. W. Rolling and Miss Lida Rolling came here this morning from near Charlestown to visit friends and relatives.

William A. Reed, after a pleasant visit to his niece, Mrs. Henry Massman, and family, returned last evening to Indianapolis.

J. H. McLea, of Chicago, T. J. Gibbs D. M. Ross, of Toledo, O., G. A. Ferguson and H. D. D. Young, of Columbus, were in the city last night.

G. W. Dannett, editor and proprietor of the Evansville Economist, and who has visited his mother and brother, Halleck and families, has returned home.

Miss Lizzie Sheedy, of Indianapolis, came here this morning and went to Hayden on account of the drowning of her brother, James Sheedy.

George Geinger and wife, of Oregon, came here last evening to visit their son, Albert S. Geinger and family near Crothersville. They came here this morning to spend the day with relatives.

George W. Bard, F. J. Schuler, W. H. Thomas and Rev. D. M. Lett, of Crothersville, and many others from this part of the county went to day to Brownstown to attend the farmers' congress.

Ibach's Accomplishes.

Three men are now under arrest at Hamilton, Ohio, charged with being in the plot to wreck the B. & O. S. W. at Burton's Gap a few weeks ago. They were arrested as being the accomplices of Ibach who is now in jail at Bedford. They claim that they are not guilty and can prove that they were some place else the night the wreck was attempted.

Great bargains in boys' and children's overcoats at Mose the Boss'. d3 2t

Ladies' and gents' silk umbrellas of fine quality at S. V. Harding's.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

C. W. Stein of the I. & V. was in the city to-day.

No. 1, on the B. & O. was over an hour late to-day.

Thomas Welch of the B. & O. was a business visitor in the city to-day.

The B. & O. S. W. has secured control of the bridge and terminals at Marietta, O., under lease.

J. B. Scott, Jr., traveling passenger agent of the B. & O. S. W. was in the city to-day from Vincennes on business.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Salt Rheum, Fever sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblain, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by W. F. Peter.

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

Beautiful goods and low prices attract many buyers and lookers to S. V. Harding's jewelry store.

CASTORIA.

The famous signature of Dr. J. C. Williams is on every wrapper.

Gladya, daughter of Dr. H. Kye continues to improve.

Henry Walkoetter, west of Tampico, is very sick with neuralgia.

Mrs. Nathaniel Schrenk is dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Two daughters of W. H. Cunningham are very sick with the grip.

Michael Youtsey is much worse to-day and he is unconscious most of the time.

Mrs. Jesse Thompson, of Rockford, has been seriously indisposed with lung hemorrhage this week.

Fritz Klipple, continues to get better and he expects to take his position in the store Monday.

Engineer Alex Lee, of the B. & O. S. W., is laying off on account of a severely swollen face with neuralgia.

The twelve year old son of George A. Cooley, of Tampico, was badly hurt one day this week by being thrown from a mule.

JACKSON COUNTY DOCTORS

Hold Their Regular Meeting at City Building Yesterday—An Interesting Session.

The Jackson County Medical Society held its regular session at the city building yesterday.

A fair representation of the profession of Jackson county was present.

Dr. T. S. Galbraith, of this city, read a very interesting paper on the treatment of nervous diseases. The subject is one which the doctor is eminently qualified to handle, having been at the head of a large institution out west for the treatment of the insane. The paper was discussed by members of the society, after which it was referred to the publishing committee.

The subject of diphtheria was then taken up and case reports with treatment were given by various members of the society. The discussion was animated and interesting.

Good feeling generally prevailed and at a late hour the meeting adjourned to meet at Brownstown the first Thursday in March, 1897.

N. N. SHIPMAN, Sec'y.

BUSINESS NOTES.

W. C. Davis drove to near Freetown this morning on business.

James Paris, of near Spraytown, has been granted a reissue of pension.

Charles Downs, of near Hayden, came down to the city to-day on business.

John W. Lefevre, of Kurtz, was a business visitor in the city last night.

J. W. Ropple, who has been here on business, returned last evening to Louisville.

J. R. McMahon and E. T. Meredith, of Washington, were here last night on business.

B. F. Scott and C. W. Nolting, of New Albany, came here this forenoon on business.

Rev. Charles E. Herbst and daughter, Miss Clara, of White Creek, came to the city to-day to shop.

Levi Acton and daughter Miss Minnie of Freetown drove over to the city to-day to purchase goods.

Eight hundred rabbits were brought here last evening by way of the E. & R. and shipped last night to Cincinnati.

Dr. J. H. Davis, of Azalia, came to the city this morning on business and to visit his brother-in-law, S. V. Harding.

B. D. Weekly, William Long, Wesley White and families drove here to-day from Spraytown on business and to purchase goods.

Jason B. Johnson and sister, Miss Nancy, of near Tampico, came to the city yesterday on business. While here Mr. Johnson purchased lumber and other material for erecting a new residence on the home farm. Mr. Johnson is a progressive young farmer.

Musical Program.

Which will be rendered in The Real Widow Brown under the direction of Prof. W. C. Henderson at the Opera House Monday night Dec. 7.

ACT I.

Song—Geraldine.....Mr. Havens

Song—Baby.....Miss Dillion

Song—Widow.....Lizzie Gonzales

Trio—There are things that cannot be explained.

ACT II.

Song—Girl With a Naughty Wink.....Miss Handy

Quartet—Madrigal from the Mikado

Kiss Duet—From Les Brigands.....Miss Dillion and Mr. Mayer

Medley.....Company

Singing Tramp.....Mr. Powers

Song and Dance—Hackensack.....Mr. Gillette

Five other specialties will be given in the third act. This company claims to have the strongest singing company on the road. A refined, bright and sparkling comedy.

POLITICAL BREVITIES

Senator Voorhees has so far recovered that he has gone to Washington to be present when Congress opens next Monday.

Everybody is invited to call at S. V. Harding's mammoth jewelry and music store and see his goods and learn his prices. No trouble to show goods. Everybody welcome.

Married.

Fred J. Bode and Miss Matilda Pardeck, both esteemed young people of Hamilton township, were united in marriage Sunday evening November 29, 1896, at the parsonage of the German Lutheran church on White Creek with Rev. C. E. Herbst tying the nuptial knot. May success be theirs.

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MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

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THE MOST EXTRAORDINARY
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Ever known in Southern Indiana.

Astounding Values, Magnificent Selections,


Prices Lower than the Lowest.

SILKS.	DRESS GOODS.
A complete line of ALL SILK China at.....19c yd	Choice of all our Boucle and Jamestown Novelties, usually sold at from 45c and 75c per yard, at.....39c yd
A complete line of 32-inch figured Drapery Silk sold everywhere at 75c, our price.....39c yd	Choice of all our French Covert Cloth and 56 inch Broad Cloths, the 75c and \$1.00 qualities at.....49c yd
A complete line of Fancy Silks, suitable for waists, usually sold at \$1.00, our price.....49c yd	A Beautiful Selection of BLACK DRESS GOODS from.....39c yd up to \$2.25 per yard.
Our entire stock of Persian Silks, regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50, our price.....95c yd	

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FROM
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Throughout this
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PRICE \$1.75.
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All Wool Beaver Jackets.	A Wool Beaver Double Cape
Made up in the Latest Styles, large sleeves.	30 inches long, 5 Rows of Braids, 2 inches Velvet Trimmings, Cheap at.....\$4.95
Regular price.....\$4.95	Bargain Sale Price.....\$2.25
Bargain Sale Price.....\$1.75	

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Fleece Ribbed Vest or Pants.....19c	Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers.....39c
Ladies' Fleece Ribbed Union Suits.....39c	Gent's Dr. Wright's Wool Back Shirts or Drawers 49c
Ladies' Wool Ribbed Vest or Pants.....39c	Gent's Cashmere Half Hose, Tan or Grey.....15c
Ladies' Cashmere Wool Hose.....15c	Gent's Heavy Lined Leather Gloves.....25c
Complete line of Misses' Underwear and Hosiery at Greatly Reduced Prices.	Complete Line of Boy's Underwear and Hosiery and Gents Union Suits.

1500 Bars Castile Soap at 1c a Bar, 5 Bars only 1500

59c 5 hook F. & P. Kid Gloves 59c 75c Our Celebrated S. C. Corsets 75c Our Celebrated B. C. Corsets

Prices Which Will Interest You.

Domestic Department.	Millinery Department.	German Linen Hemstitched Towels 12 1/2c
Fast Colored Turkey Red Damask.....15c yd	No. 5 and 7 All Silk Ribbon.....5c yd	Large Size Turkish Towels.....15c
Fast Colored Renfrew Red Damask.....29c yd	No. 9 All Silk Ribbon.....7 1/2c yd	Large Size Knotted Fringe Towels.....19c
ask, best made.....22 1/2c yd	No. 12 and 16 All Silk Ribbon.....10c yd	Feather Collars.....15c
Bleached Damask.....4c yd	No. 22 All Silk Ribbon.....15c yd	Feather Boas.....39c
Heavy Outing Flannel.....10c yd	Complete line of colors in all widths.	
All Wool Red Twill Flannel.....10c yd		

Special Sale of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats in our Millinery Department.

In connection with this Bargain Sale we will open for inspection and put on sale our New Stock of

HOLIDAY GOODS.

Everybody cordially invited.
RESPECTFULLY,

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CUBAN WAR NEWS

Report of the Desertion of the Spanish Garrison San Jose las Lajas.

EXCITEMENT AT THE PALACE.

Anarchy Reigned When Troops Arrived From Havana—Many Residents Shot Down in the Streets—Insurgents Capture a Million Rounds of Cartridges—Confirmation of Sanchez's Death.

Key West, Fla., Dec. 4.—News has been received here that the troops of the Spanish garrison at San Jose las Lajas, 20 miles northeast of Havana abandoned their post and joined the insurgents. Many of the citizens accompanied the troops and carried ammunition with them. The news caused great excitement at the palace and fresh troops were immediately sent to the post and order was restored. Before the troops arrived anarchy reigned, and when the troops reached the city many residents were shot down in the streets. News from Santiago de Cuba reports that the insurgents captured an important Spanish convoy of ammunition and supplies between Bayceito and Manzanillo with nearly 10,000 rounds of Mauser and Remington cartridges. No more social or family gatherings will be held in Havana unless special permit shall be secured from the authorities. All the homes of leading Cuban families are watched as well as the movements of foreign correspondents, and are reported to the police.

The Cuban Junta has received from Ochoa confirmation of the report of the death in battle of Major General Serafin Sanchez inspector general of the insurgent army, at Las Damas, Santa Clara province, on Nov. 20. An expedition was expected from Jamaica and part of the forces of Generals Carrillo and Sanchez started for the coast to relieve it. The insurgents numbered about 1,200 men, but before reaching the point where the expedition was to disembark the column was attacked by 8,000 Spaniards under General Luque. A desperate battle ensued, which lasted five hours, darkness making it impossible to continue the fight. In the battle the Spaniards suffered a loss of 170 killed and 60 wounded. The Cuban loss was 45 killed and 26 wounded. General Sanchez, mounted on a small horse was in the thick of the battle. His last words were: "Viva Cuba Libre."

Fort Guanabacoa Bombaraded. Advice received from Havana by the steamer Olivette state that on Tuesday the vanguard of the army of Gomez camped near Guanabacoa, which is just across the bay from Havana. On Wednesday at noon the insurgents began to bombard Guanabacoa. The roar of the guns was heard easily in Havana and threw the loyalists of the capital into a panic. Many houses were fired by the shells from insurgents' cannon and the smoke and flames were visible to the people in Havana. The Spaniards in Havana were greatly alarmed, as Guanabacoa was only preliminary to attack upon the metropolis.

HOLD UP IN A BREWERY.

Home Brewing Company of St. Louis Robbed in Broad Daylight.

St. Louis, Dec. 4.—Three highwaymen with drawn revolvers entered the office of the Home Brewing company late yesterday and held up the cashier, Robert Haverkamp, forced him to hand over \$400 and then went behind the counter, looted the money drawers and secured probably \$500 additional.

The robbery was the most daring that has occurred in St. Louis for years. When the holdup occurred there were present in the office the cashier, a half dozen clerks and several customers. The robbers mounted a north Broadway car and went south when they left the car and went toward the river. A half dozen police officers hurried to the brewery office, but when they arrived there was no trace of the fellows.

Ex-Parte Investigations Abolished.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Ex-parte investigations by the government in pension cases have been abolished by recent action of the pension office. It is a step of great importance to claimants of all classes, and will be of great benefit to veterans. The action is in line with the policy of Commissioner of Pensions Murphy to give the claimants the benefit of the doubt.

A disinterested and clear-headed judge doesn't allow himself to be biased by prejudice. Facts are the only things which he considers. If the intelligent men and women who make up this great country of ours will simply bring their reason and common sense to bear on the problem of curing their sickness, we will soon be a nation most remarkable for health and longevity. The plain, unadorned facts about Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are all that is necessary to convince fair-minded people of its transcendent merit. They are as follows:

All diseases come from germs. The germs in the blood, propagate and increase in the blood, which carries them all over the body. When they find a weak spot, they stick to the weak spot. It becomes a diseased spot, and the disease is called by the name corresponding to its location in the body. The cause is the same for nearly all diseases. All impurities are germs, or breed germs. Impure blood means germ filled. Kill the germs, eliminate the impurities, enrich the blood, and it will force itself into the diseased spot and strengthen it, and give it power to throw off the germ that exists there. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is designed to do this—that is the theory. The facts are these—tens of thousands of people have used the "Discovery." It is used to be sold with the understanding that if it didn't cure it should be returned, and the money refunded. No body ever asked for the money, and so that clause was dropped. Thousands of people have written voluntary letters of thanks to the discoverer. A few of these letters have been included in Dr. Pierce's great thousand page book, Common Sense Medical Adviser. It will be sent absolutely free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay for mailing only. Address: Dr. J. C. Rorer, Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sick Headache.

Neuralgia and Extreme Nervousness.



EVER since I was eighteen years old until I learned of Dr. Miles' Restorative Remedies, I suffered from sick headache and extreme nervousness and dyspepsia. In time heart disease developed. I was treated by several doctors with no relief. Severe palpitation with pain in left breast, shortness of breath, and smothering spells made me most miserable. I procured Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and New Heart Cure and took them alternately as directed. Improvement began at once and increased so rapidly that inside of six months I increased thirty six pounds in weight. All pain in the heart is gone, and the nervousness has wholly left me.

MRS. CHAS. KNAPP, W. German St., Little Falls, N. Y., Nov. 7, '93. Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on Heart and Nerves sent free to all applicants. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

TARDY EXPLOSION.

Thomas Peewick Horribly Burned in a Coal Mine.

CLINTON, Ind., Dec. 4.—Thomas Peewick, a coal miner, was frightfully burned yesterday by the tardy explosion of a blast. He had lighted a squib and retired to another part of the mine to await the explosion. Hearing no report he concluded the squib had failed and went back to replace it. When within a few feet of the face of the coal there was a terrific explosion and the room was filled with burning powder and flying lumps of coal. He was completely buried beneath the coal and suffered the awful torture of being practically baked alive. His screams attracted the attention of some men, who hurried to his rescue. More dead than alive he was hoisted to the top of the shaft and removed to his home.

Cincinnati Record Assigns.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 4.—The latest effort to establish a new morning paper in Cincinnati came to an end yesterday, when an assignment was made, after only 11 issues. The "Record" began publication Nov. 29 as a 1-cent daily, and this morning M. C. Reefer, representing the company owners, assigned to Charles L. Coppersch, giving preference to R. Hoe & Co., and the American Type foundry. The cause of the failure is said to be inability to meet the claims of employers.

Two Men Drowned.

CELINA, O., Dec. 4.—Two prominent oil operators were drowned here yesterday. Ernest Godfrey of Emlenton, Pa., was on the ice on a lake, the ice broke, Arthur Palmer of Montezuma, O., ran to his rescue and the ice gave way beneath him and both drowned.

Knightsville Residence Burned.

KNIGHTSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 4.—A house belonging to John Harmon, and occupied by Abigail Smith, who lost all his household goods, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Fire originated from a defective fluo. The loss was \$1,500 and insurance \$500.

TRI-STATE BREVITIES.

The Consolidated Coal company will improve its mines at Gilpin, Ill., spending \$200,000 in the work.

The receipts of the United States revenue office at Belleville, Ill., for the month of November were \$48,918.94.

Charles Briggs, one of the public school janitors at South Bend, Ind., attempted suicide by swallowing morphine.

M. T. Hart of Crown Point, Ind., has established a skunk farm near Hartsville. He finds a ready market for the pelts.

Milton Heads of Anderson, Ind., who was accidentally shot while repairing a revolver owned by Joseph Hickson, is dead. Elias Hartsell, a wealthy farmer of Elkhart county, Ind., was found dead in his cornfield, where he had gone to throw feed to his hogs.

In trying to get a shot at a frisky rabbit near Mount Vernon, Ill., Elijah Baldwin succeeded in planting a charge of birdshot in his boy's leg.

Mary Stanley, a member of the famous gypsy family of near Dayton, O., died recently at Cincinnati, Ark. The deceased was queen of the tribe.

Relatives of D. W. C. Lugenbeel of Delaware, O., have reported to the police that he has been absent since last Thursday. They fear foul play.

There are 15 cases of typhoid fever at Logansport, Ind., all caused by using infected milk, said to have been sold by one dairyman. One death has resulted.

Deputy Sheriff John Mulhender and Harry Newbury have been bound over to the grand jury at Tole for a charge of aiding John Harrington, accused of murder, to escape jail.

A gas explosion in the Bailey schoolhouse, near Hartford City, Ind., caused \$1,200 loss. The explosion happened after midnight and is attributed to tramps, who turned on the gas direct from a high pressure main.

Massachusetts' Vote.

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—The official canvass of the vote for president in this state shows that 279,976 ballots were cast for McKinley; 108,711 for Bryan and 11,749 for Palmer. McKinley's plurality, 171,265 against a plurality for Harrison in 1892 of 26,001.

Buried by a Snowslide.

LOGAN, Utah, Dec. 4.—Hyrum Jepson, James Christianson, Sr., and son James, were buried in a snowslide in Logan canyon. Jepson finally extricated himself, but the father and son were both killed.

Charged With Stuffing the Payroll.

BUFFALO, Dec. 4.—Eugene W. Harrington, deputy city controller, has been arrested on a charge of grand larceny. An investigation has shown that Harrington had been "stuffing" a payroll. He is a relative of Mayor Jewett.

To Cure Cold in One Day

Take laxative Broom uina Tablets All druggists refund the money if fail to cure. 25c.

THINK THEY KNOW

Politicians Talk of an Extra Session, but the Major Says Nothing.

CONFERENCE WITH THURSTON.

Chairman Dingley of the Ways and Means Committee Consults With the President-Elect—Oregon Would Be Proud to Have a Man in the Cabinet—Babcock Expresses Himself.

CANTON, O., Dec. 4.—The bright sunshine and good air of yesterday afforded Major and Mrs. McKinley opportunity for a drive about the city which the rougher weather of the earlier days in the week prevented. Mrs. McKinley is apparently enjoying as good health as falls to her lot and seems to have regained her former strength.

In the midst of conferences with Senator Thurston, ex-Congressman Mason and others, the major found time to cordially greet all visitors.

Congressman R. W. Taylor of this district was among the visitors. He has been in Washington a short time and leaves on Saturday for the short session. He said he had no official information on the subject, but the logic of the situation seemed to point to an extra session.

Congressman Nelson Dingley, Jr., of Lewiston, Me., chairman of the ways and means committee and author of the Dingley revenue bill, came in from Cleveland. He was met at the depot by attaches of the McKinley household and went direct to the residence. Here lunch was had, following which a consultation was held upon the pertinent questions of the hour.

Senators Mitchell and George W. McBride and Congressman Blinger Herman of Oregon arrived late in the day. They are on their way to Washington for the winter and stopped off here to pay their respects to Major McKinley. When seen by an Associated Press representative, Senator McBride said:

"There is nothing political in our visit to Major McKinley; it is purely of a social nature. We would be proud to have a man from Oregon in the cabinet, but as yet the sentiment has not crystallized on any one person. There has been much talk of Senator Mitchell for a place in the cabinet, but I don't think he has given it any consideration himself. We in Oregon would sooner have him go back to the senate again."

General Stewart L. Woodford of New York and A. J. Daugherty of Peoria, Ill., were callers at the residence of the president-elect. Mr. Daugherty is a member of the Illinois legislature.

Senator Gear of Iowa.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Senator Gear of Iowa, one of the foremost legislators connected with the preparation of the McKinley bill in 1890, who arrived here yesterday, expressed the opinion that there will be nothing done in the present session except the passage of the appropriation bills and some other measures like the immigration bill, which will not provoke much discussion or enthusiasm. The senator looks for an extra session at which the tariff and financial questions will be taken up.

Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin says he does not believe anything will be done regarding the currency or the tariff at this session.

Senator Dubois' Position.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Dubois of Idaho, has arrived and in reply to a question as to the attitude of the silver Republicans on the tariff question he replied that he had had no opportunity to consult with other senators, but that so far as the Dingley bill was concerned he did not believe there was any show of its passage. "It is a measure which has already been condemned," he said, "and it appears to me to be to waste time upon it. To my mind congress should meet and pass the appropriation bills and go home."

Inaugural Ball.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 4.—Concerning the report going the rounds to the effect that the inaugural ball may possibly be omitted at the coming inauguration of President-elect McKinley in March, Chairman M. A. Hanna, who has charge of the arrangements pertaining to such matters, said yesterday: "I think the inaugural ball will be held as usual. It has become a time-honored custom in connection with the inaugural ceremonies and there is no reason why it should be omitted now."

Wyoming Official Vote.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 4.—The official canvass of the vote of Wyoming was made yesterday. The result is as follows: Republican electors, Britain, 10,087; Howell, 10,038; Mrs. Malloy, 9,998. Bryan and Weaver electors: Jordan, 485; Sims, 487; Levering, Prohibition, 158; High, 138; Jackson, 136; Smith, 159. Bryan and Sewall electors: D. S. VanMeter, (Populist), 10,138; John A. Martin, (Democrat), 10,869; P. J. Quealy, (Democrat) 20,352.

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RED HOUSE, VA.—To Mrs. Pinkham: "My heart goes out in sympathy to all who are suffering with troubles peculiar to the female sex. I would like to express my gratitude for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. I have been a sufferer since girlhood, did not then know the cause of dreadful sick headaches and other troubles. I could not take long walks, lift or carry anything heavy, and was very nervous. Last summer I was almost an invalid, could not walk across my room without pain. I sent for your physician. He pronounced my case a bad one of 'Prolapsus Uteri,' congestion and ulceration of the womb, and said I was to lie a-bed. I was so distressed to find myself so helpless and useless to my family, I saw your Compound advertised and thought I would try it. I took fourteen bottles and used the Sanative Wash and Pills as directed, and now I am as strong as I ever was, and do all my own housework. I can walk more than a mile without any inconvenience. Oh! I am truly grateful. I cannot write the good you have done me. Words are inadequate to express it. May God bless you for the good you are doing. Mrs. Sidney Hamlet, Red House, Va."

This case is a good illustration of perseverance and faith. Mrs. Hamlet's sickness was severe, it took courage and patience to master the disease, but in good time the Compound produced the happy result as it will always do. The more difficult the case, however, the longer it will take to cure it—many women lose courage before the medicine has time to thoroughly "take hold" of the system.

FITZSIMMONS AND SHARKEY.

Courts Will Have to Settle Who Is Entitled to the Purse.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Bob Fitzsimmons, through his attorney, has commenced suit in the superior court to restrain the Anglo-California bank from paying Sharkey the \$10,000 awarded the sailor by Referee Earp. Fitzsimmons charges conspiracy between Sharkey, the National Athletic club and others, whose names are not given, to award Sharkey the purse under any circumstances. Fitz alleges that before Earp was selected as referee this agreement was made, and that had he known of it he would have refused to enter the ring.

Judge Sanderson granted the injunction prayed for and the case will soon be tried in court. The National club is composed of J. G. Groom and John Gibbs, local men.

Referee Earp Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—When Wyatt Earp appeared in the ring to act as referee he was disarmed by Police Captain Wittman, who took from the Arizona man a large size pistol. Last night Earp was arrested on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was released on bail.

A delegation of six reputable physicians examined Sharkey last night and made the following report: "We find the oedema or swelling on the left side of the groin extending partially to the left. Also two small ecchymotic spots or discolorations about half way down on the right side."

Dr. Lee, the man called in to attend Sharkey in spite of the fact that other physicians offered their services, is not recognized by the regular medical fraternity of this city. It is stated by a prominent physician that the injuries exhibited by Sharkey could have been caused by a blow on the navel.

Miss Dairry Association.

LEBANON, Ind., Dec. 4.—The State Dairy association will hold its seventh annual convention in this city Dec. 29 and 30. One of the most elaborate programmes in the history of the association has been prepared for the occasion.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle and Provisions on Dec. 3.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—Firm—No. 2 red, 90c. CORN—Steady—No. 2 mixed, 50c. OATS—Do—No. 2 mixed, 35c. CATTLE—Heavy dry fed steers, \$4.15@4.40; shipping and export steers, \$3.75@4.10; common to fair steers, \$3.25@3.65; selling steers, \$3.15@3.50; medium to choice heifers, \$2.75@3.25; common to choice cows, \$1.90@2.35; real calves, \$3.50@5.00. Quiet.

HOGS—Packing and good to choice, \$3.30@3.45; lightweights, \$3.20@3.35; pigs and roughs, \$2.50@3.00. Market active. SHEEP—Common to choice lambs, \$2.50@3.00; medium to choice sheep, \$2.25@3.00; bucks per head \$1.50@2.00. Market unchanged.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

WHEAT—Quiet—No. 2 red, closed. CORN—Dec. opened 87c, closed 87c. CORN—Dec. opened 87c, closed 87c. OATS—Dec. opened 26c, closed 26c. OATS—Dec. opened 26c, closed 26c. PORT—Jan. opened \$7.70, closed \$7.72. MAY opened \$8.05, closed \$8.07. LARD—Jan. opened \$4.00, closed \$3.97. MAY opened \$4.20, closed \$4.17. RICE—Jan. opened \$3.90, closed \$3.92. MAY opened \$4.07, closed \$4.07.

Closing cash markets: Wheat 80c, corn 23c, oats 18c, pork \$6.90, lard \$3.52, ribs \$3.90.

Cincinnati Grain and Stock.

WHEAT—Quiet—No. 2 red, 66c. CORN—Firm—No. 2 mixed, 23c. OATS—Firm—No. 2 mixed, 23c. CATTLE—Steady at \$2.35@3.50. HOGS—Stronger at \$2.50@3.45. SHEEP—Dull at 2.00 to 3.35; lambs, lower at \$3.00@4.40.

Toledo Grain.

WHEAT—Higher—No. 2 cash, 97c. CORN—Steady—No. 2 mixed, 35c. OATS—Dull—No. 2 mixed, 18c.

East Liberty Live Stock.

CATTLE—Steady at \$2.00@4.70. HOGS—Dull at \$2.25@3.60. SHEEP—Steady at \$2.00 to 3.70; lambs, unchanged at \$3.50@4.50.

Fraud Order.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The postmaster general has issued a fraud order against C. B. Dengler of Denglers, Pa. Dengler was arrested some time ago by a postoffice inspector, charged with conducting a fraudulent mail order scheme.

Sent to the Pasture Institute.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 4.—Seven children; bitten by a mad dog in the suburbs of Baltimore Tuesday, were sent to the Pasture Institute yesterday by the Baltimore News.

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HORRIBLY BURNED IN A MINE.

Alleged Forger Arrested—Little Girl Fatally Burned—Fireman Killed in His Cab—Heaviest Man in Southern Illinois. Dry House Burned—Other Interesting Tri-State News.

MONTPELIER, Ind., Dec. 4.—What to do with the immense corn crop of Blackford and adjoining counties is giving the farmers something to think about. It is estimated that the yield in Blackford, Wells, Grant and Jay counties is fully 1,600,000 bushels. Farmers say this section never turned out such a corn crop in its history. The average yield is about 80 bushels to the acre. The farmers have filled their cribs and constructed temporary cribs in the fields, and these are all running over with the product. The market is down to 17 and 18 cents a bushel with little demand at the price. The farmers say if they had hogs to feed the corn to they could sell the pork as low as 8 cents a pound, and in that way get 40 cents a bushel for the corn.

JOHANN H. BUDDEN DEAD.

Heaviest Man in Southern Illinois. Weighed Four Hundred Pounds.

CARLYLE, Ill., Dec. 4.—Johann Heinrich Budden, weighing 400 pounds and probably the largest man in southern Illinois, has just been buried here. Three years ago his body became so heavy that his limbs refused to carry the ponderous weight, and since that time he was almost helpless. A few months ago he fell, and it required the efforts of two strong men, aided by an improvised derrick, to get him on his feet again.

Budden's waist measure was 130 inches, and his arms and legs were of enormous size. He required a coffin six feet long, 26 inches wide and 24 inches deep, which is double extra size. Ten men carried the corpse to the cemetery, as a hearse could have never withstood the weight.

Budden was born in Prussia in 1824. He had lived in Clinton county 50 years and had acquired a small fortune.

SAD INCIDENT.

Aged Grandmother Falls Dead While Blessing a Bridal Couple.

BRAZIL, Ind., Dec. 4.—The ceremony uniting Mark Patterson and Miss Katie Furneaux had just been concluded by Rev. Allen Lewis, when Mrs. Furneaux, the aged grandmother of the bride, advanced to extend her congratulations. She gave the bride and groom her blessing, kissed both, passing her hands over their heads, and then suddenly fell dead. Consternation prevailed, and a physician was hurriedly summoned, but nothing could be done. The wedding supper was dispensed with, and joy was turned to grief. The cause of death is attributed to apoplexy.

Fatally Burned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—May Finnin, 3 years old, was frightfully burned from hips to the top of her head. While her mother was working in the yard the little girl found some matches, which she began lighting. Her clothing caught fire and she was fatally burned. Her father, George Finnin, while trying to extinguish the flames, was severely burned. The child died after terrible suffering.

Shipbuilding on the Lakes.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 4.—A survey of the contracts for new shipping to be built on the great lakes this winter shows that vessels aggregating \$2,285,000 in value have been ordered. Seven steamers and nine barges are to be built, with a carrying capacity on a draft of 16 feet of over 61,000 tons. This is the more remarkable from the fact that the season of navigation just closed was very unprofitable.

Fireman Killed in His Cab.

VANDALIA, Ill., Dec. 4.—P. M. O. McFarland, fireman on No. 5 westbound Vandalia train, while leaning out of the cab window was struck on the head by the mail catcher at St.ubblefield, and instantly killed. The engineer did not know of the accident till he discovered McFarland dead with his head hanging out of the cab window. The remains were shipped to Terre Haute, where his family reside.

Prohibitive Ordinance.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Dec. 4.—The city council has passed a prohibitive ordinance against traveling fakirs. This is the third attempt of the authorities to force transients to pay license.



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